GLOBAL PRECIPITATION MEASUREMENT PRECIPITATION PROCESSING SYSTEM

File Specification 2ADPR

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0.1 2ADPR - DPR precipitation

The DPR Level-2A product, 2ADPR, "DPR precipitation," is written as a 3 swath structure. The swaths are NS, normal scans, MS, matched scans, and HS, high sensitivity scans. The following sections describe the structure and contents of the format.

Dimension definitions:

nscan	var	Number of scans in the granule.
nray	49	Number of angle bins in each NS scan.
nrayMS	25	Number of angle bins in each MS scan.
nrayHS	24	Number of angle bins in each HS scan.
nbin	176	Number of range bins in each NS and MS ray. Bin interval is 125
		m. 0 is at the top. 175 is the bin of the earth ellipsoid.
nbinHS	88	Number of range bins in each HS ray. Bin interval is 250 m. 0 is
		at the top. 87 is the bin of the earth ellipsoid.
nbinSZP	7	Number of range bins for sigmaZeroProfile.
nbinSZPHS	5	Number of range bins for sigmaZeroProfile in each HS scan.
nNP	4	Number of NP kinds.
nearFar	2	Near reference, Far reference.
fore Back	2	Foreward, Backward.
method	6	Number of SRT methods.
nNode	5	Number of binNode.
nDSD	2	Number of DSD parameters. Parameters are dBNw and Dm (mm).
LS	2	Liquid, solid.
nNUBF	3	Number of NUBF parameters.
two	2	Number of NUBF parameters.
three	3	Number of NUBF parameters.
thirty	30	Number of NUBF parameters.
thirteen	13	Number of NUBF parameters.
ten	10	Number of NUBF parameters.
six	6	Number of NUBF parameters.
four	4	Number of NUBF parameters.
eight	8	Number of NUBF parameters.

Figure 1 through Figure 39 show the structure of this product. The text below describes the contents of objects in the structure, the C Structure Header File and the Fortran Structure Header File.

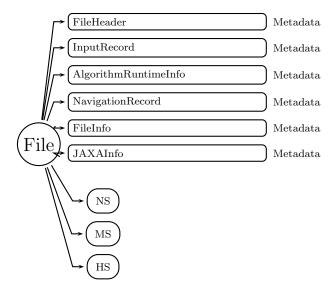


Figure 1: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, DPR precipitation

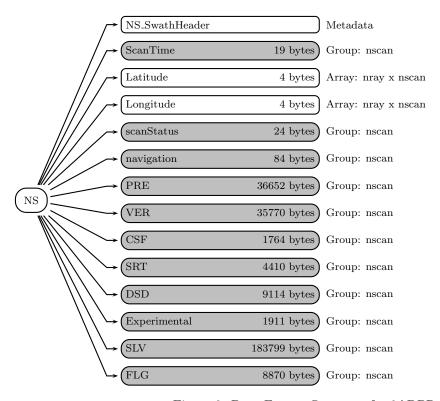


Figure 2: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, NS

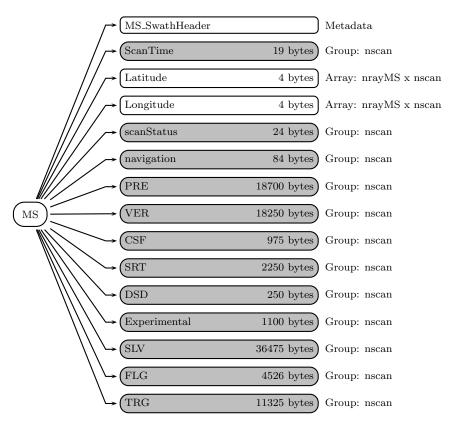


Figure 3: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, MS

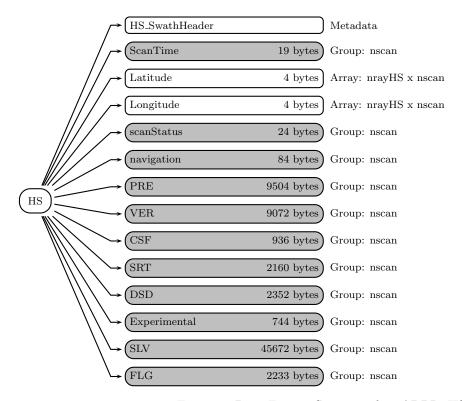


Figure 4: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, HS

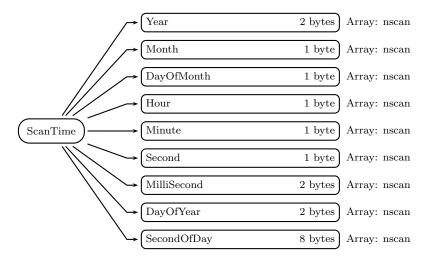


Figure 5: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, NS, ScanTime

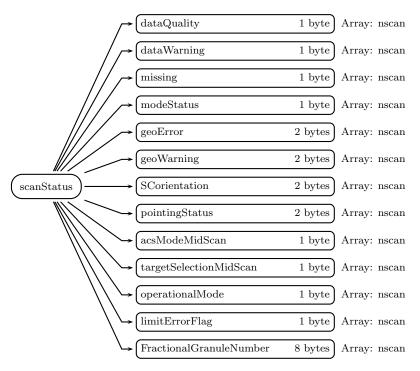


Figure 6: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, NS, scanStatus

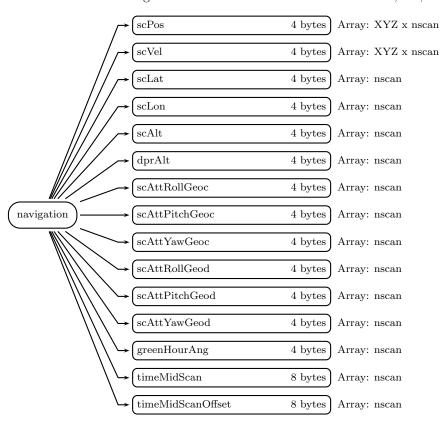


Figure 7: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, NS, navigation

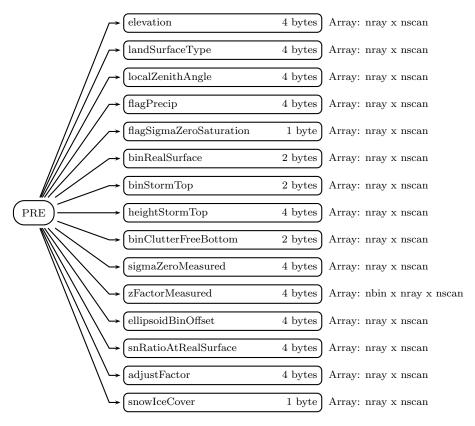


Figure 8: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, NS, PRE

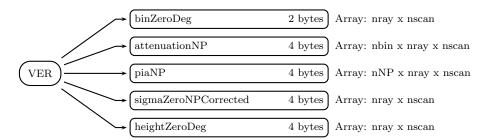


Figure 9: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, NS, VER

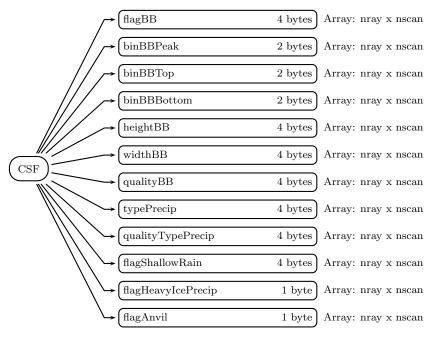


Figure 10: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, NS, CSF

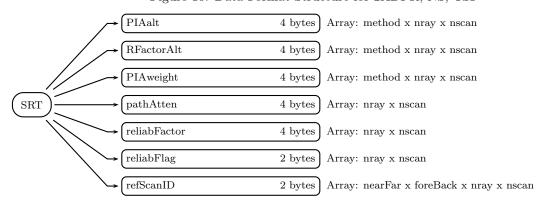


Figure 11: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, NS, SRT

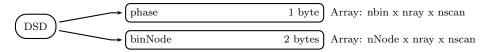


Figure 12: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, NS, DSD

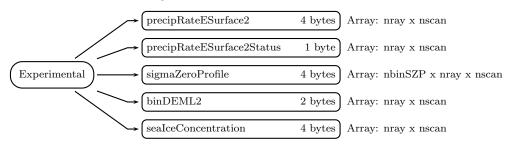


Figure 13: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, NS, Experimental

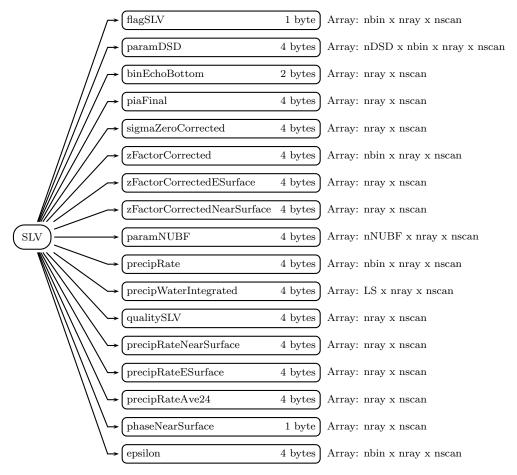


Figure 14: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, NS, SLV

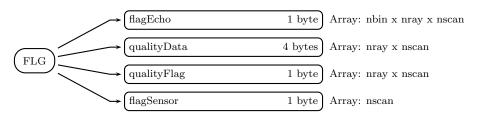


Figure 15: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, NS, FLG

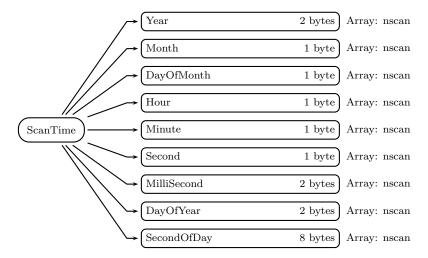


Figure 16: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, MS, ScanTime

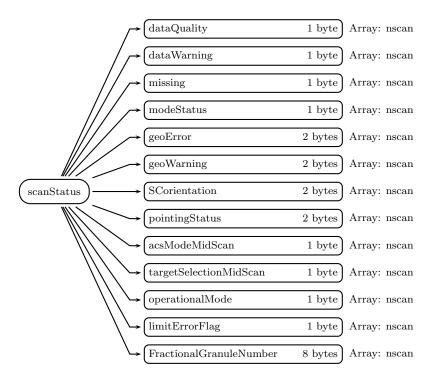


Figure 17: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, MS, scanStatus

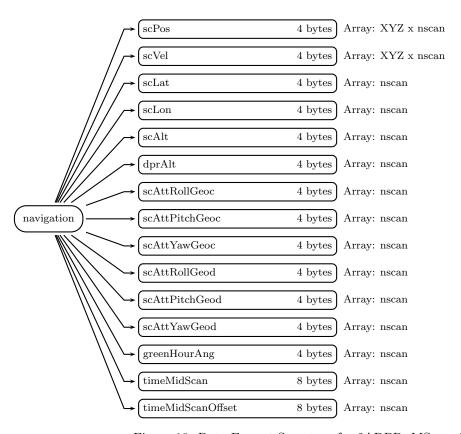


Figure 18: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, MS, navigation

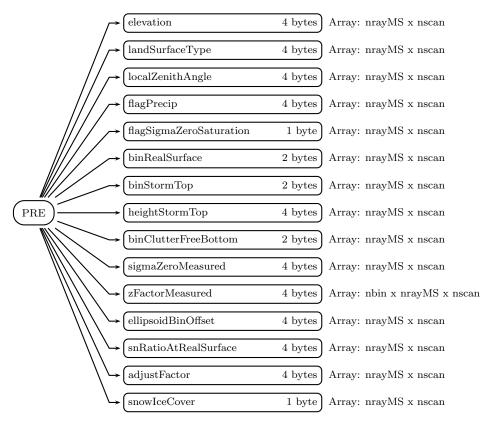


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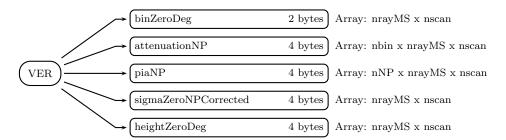


Figure 20: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, MS, VER

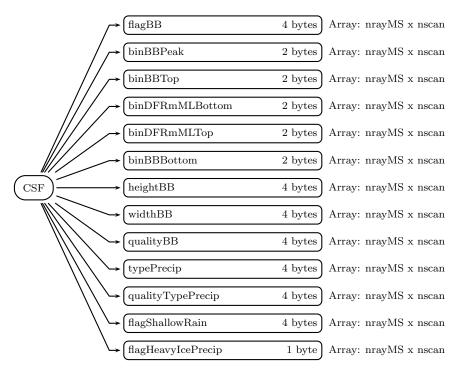


Figure 21: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, MS, CSF

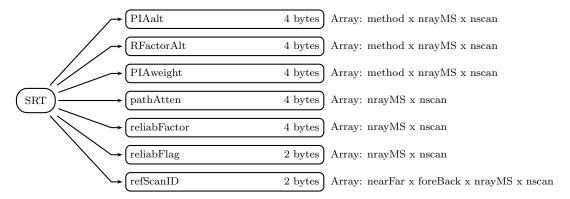


Figure 22: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, MS, SRT



Figure 23: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, MS, DSD

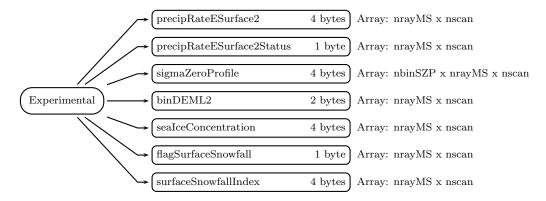


Figure 24: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, MS, Experimental

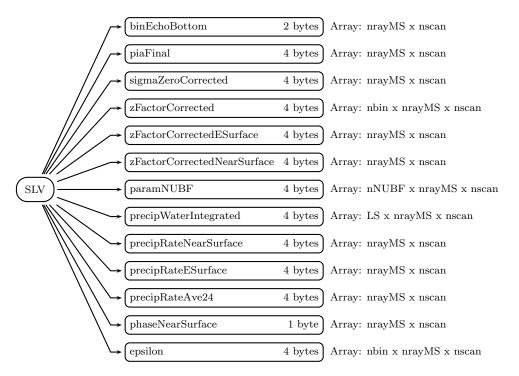


Figure 25: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, MS, SLV

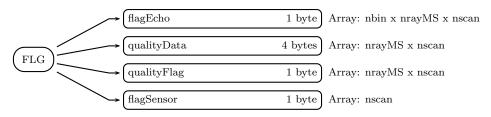


Figure 26: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, MS, FLG

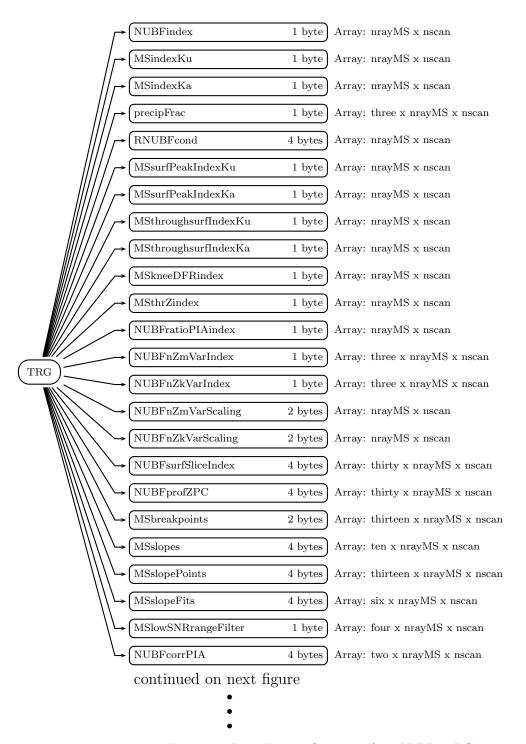


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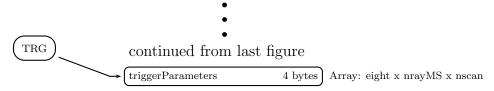


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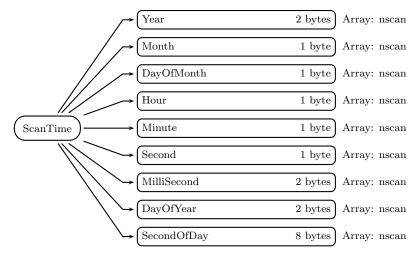


Figure 29: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, HS, ScanTime

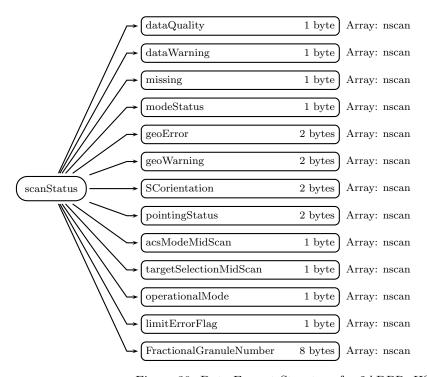


Figure 30: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, HS, scanStatus

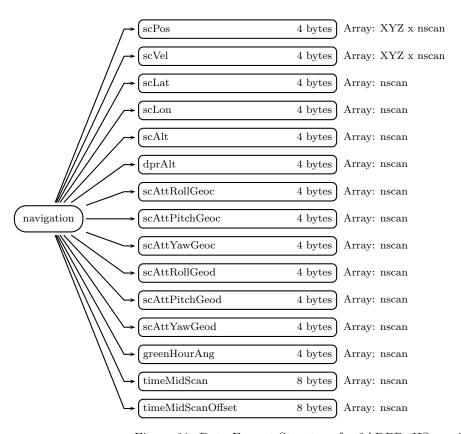


Figure 31: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, HS, navigation

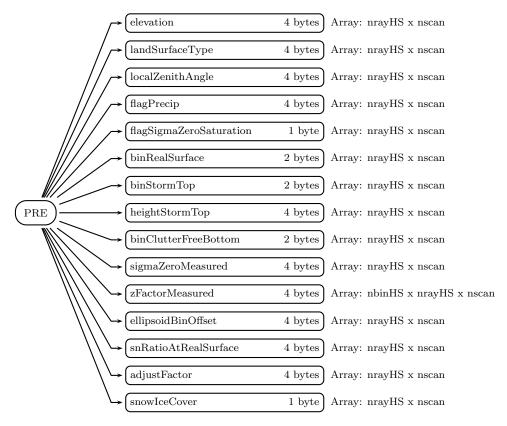


Figure 32: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, HS, PRE

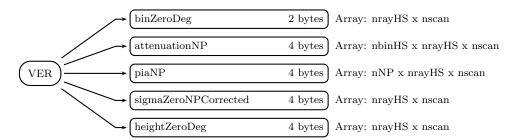


Figure 33: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, HS, VER

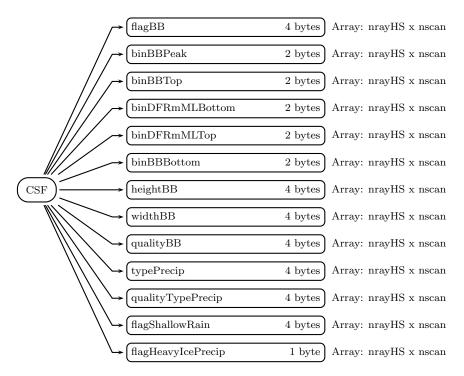


Figure 34: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, HS, CSF

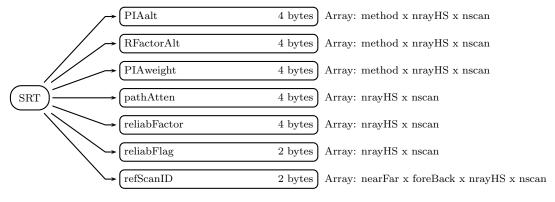


Figure 35: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, HS, SRT

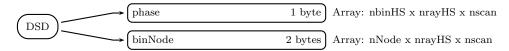


Figure 36: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, HS, DSD

FileHeader (Metadata):

FileHeader contains general metadata. This group appears in all data products. See Metadata for GPM Products for details.

InputRecord (Metadata):

InputRecord contains a record of input files for this granule. This group appears in Level 1 and Level 2 data products. Level 3 time averaged products have the same information separated into 3 groups since they have many inputs. See Metadata for GPM Products for details.

AlgorithmRuntimeInfo (Metadata):

AlgorithmRuntimeInfo contains text runtime information written by the algorithm. See Metadata for GPM Products for details.

NavigationRecord (Metadata):

NavigationRecord contains navigation metadata for this granule. This group appears in Level 1 and Level 2 data products. See Metadata for GPM Products for details.

FileInfo (Metadata):

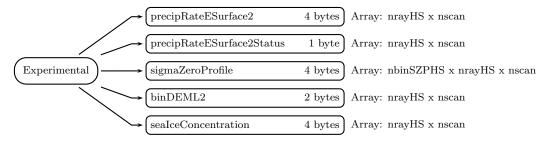


Figure 37: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, HS, Experimental

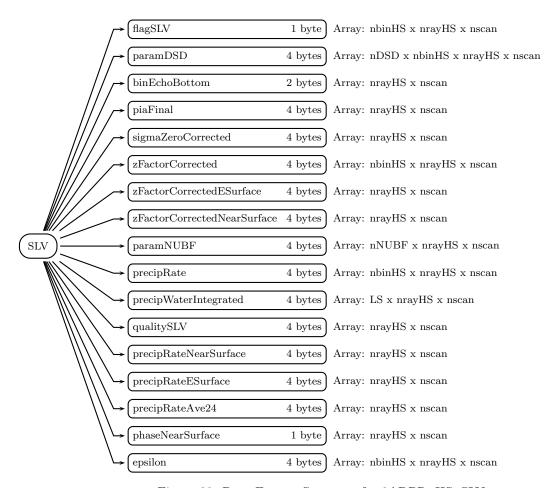


Figure 38: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, HS, SLV

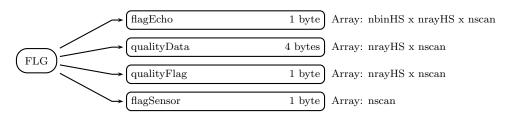


Figure 39: Data Format Structure for 2ADPR, HS, FLG

FileInfo contains metadata used by the PPS I/O Toolkit (TKIO). This group appears in all data products. See Metadata for GPM Products for details.

JAXAInfo (Metadata):

JAXAInfo contains metadata requested by JAXA. Used by DPR algorithms and GSMaP. See Metadata for GPM Products for details.

NS (Swath)

NS_SwathHeader (Metadata):

SwathHeader contains metadata for swaths. This group appears in Level 1 and Level 2 data products. See Metadata for GPM Products for details.

ScanTime (Group in NS)

A UTC time associated with the scan.

Year (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

4-digit year, e.g., 1998. Values range from 1950 to 2100 years. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

Month (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Month of the year. Values range from 1 to 12 months. Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

DayOfMonth (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Day of the month. Values range from 1 to 31 days. Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

Hour (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

UTC hour of the day. Values range from 0 to 23 hours. Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

Minute (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Minute of the hour. Values range from 0 to 59 minutes. Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

Second (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Second of the minute. Values range from 0 to 60 s. Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

MilliSecond (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Thousandths of the second. Values range from 0 to 999 ms. Special values are defined as: -9999 Missing value

DayOfYear (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Day of the year. Values range from 1 to 366 days. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

SecondOfDay (8-byte float, array size: nscan):

A time associated with the scan. scanTime_sec is expressed as the UTC seconds of the day. Values range from 0 to 86400 s. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

Latitude (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

The earth latitude of the center of the IFOV at the altitude of the earth ellipsiod. Latitude is positive north, negative south. Values range from -90 to 90 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

Longitude (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

The earth longitude of the center of the IFOV at the altitude of the earth ellipsiod. Longitude is positive east, negative west. A point on the 180th meridian has the value -180 degrees. Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scanStatus (Group in NS)

dataQuality (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

A summary of data quality in the scan. Unless this is 0 (normal), the scan data is meaningless to higher precipitation processing. Bit 0 is the least significant bit (i.e., if bit i = 1 and other bits = 0, the unsigned integer value is $2^{**}i$).

Bit Meaning if bit = 1

- 0 missing
- 5 geoError is not zero
- 6 modeStatus is not zero

dataWarning (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Flag of data warning for each scan.

Bit Meaning if bit = 1

- O Beam matching is abnormal
- 1 VPRF table is abnormal
- 2 Surface table is abnormal
- 3 geoWarning is not zero
- 4 Operational mode is not observation mode
- 5 GPS status is abnormal
- 6 Spare (always 0)
- 7 Check sum of L1A is abnormal

missing (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Indicates whether information is contained in the scan data. The values are:

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Bit Meaning if bit = 1

0 Scan is missing

1 Science telemetry packet missing

2 Science telemetry segment within packet missing

3 Science telemetry other missing

4 Housekeeping (HK) telemetry packet missing

5 Spare (always 0)

6 Spare (always 0)

7 Spare (always 0)
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modeStatus (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

A summary of status modes. If all status modes are routine, all bits in modeStatus = 0. Routine means that scan data has been measured in the normal operational situation as far as the status modes are concerned. modeStatus does not assess geolocation quality. modeStatus is broken into 8 bit flags. Each bit = 0 if the status is routine but the bit = 1 if the status is not routine. Bit 0 is the least significant bit (i.e., if bit i = 1 and other bits = 0, the unsigned integer value is $2^{**}i$). The non-routine situations follow:

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Bit Meaning if bit = 1

0 Spare (always 0)

1 SCorientation not 0 or 180

2 pointingStatus not 0

3 Non-routine limitErrorFlag

4 Non-routine operationalMode (not 1 or 11)

5 Spare (always 0)

6 Spare (always 0)

7 Spare (always 0)
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geoError (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

A summary of geolocation errors in the scan. geoError is used to set a bit in dataQuality. A zero integer value of geoError indicates 'good' geolocation. A non-zero value broken down into the bit flags below indicates the specified reason, where bit 0 is the least significant bit (i.e., if bit i = 1 and other bits = 0 the unsigned integer value is 2^{**i}).

Bits 0, 4, 5, 8 and 9 are per pixel error flags. If the number of bad pixels (for any of the reasons specified by these flags) is greater than the threshold then bit 7 = 1 and each of these flags is set to 1 if any pixel is bad for that reason. At launch this threshold is zero, so data is flagged if any pixel is bad. If the number of bad pixels is less than or equal to the threshold then bit 7 = 0 and all of these flags are also 0.

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Bit Meaning if bit = 1
0 Latitude limit exceeded for viewed pixel locations
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- 1 Negative scan time, invalid input
- 2 Error getting spacecraft attitude at scan mid-time
- 3 Error getting spacecraft ephemeris at scan mid-time
- 4 Invalid input non-unit ray vector for any pixel
- 5 Ray misses Earth for any pixel with normal pointing
- 6 Nadir calculation error for subsatellite position
- 7 Pixel count with geolocation error over threshold
- 8 Error in getting spacecraft attitude for any pixel
- 9 Error in getting spacecraft ephemeris for any pixel
- 10 Spare (always 0)
- 11 Spare (always 0)
- 12 Spare (always 0)
- 13 Spare (always 0)
- 14 Spare (always 0)
- 15 Spare (always 0)

geoWarning (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

A summary of geolocation warnings in the scan. geoWarning does not set a bit in dataQuality. Warnings indicate unusual conditions. These conditions do not indicate bad geolocation but are flagged as a warning that further review of the data may be useful. A zero integer value indicates usual geolocation. A non-zero value broken down into the following bit flags indicates the following, where bit 0 is the least significant bit (i.e., if bit i = 1 and other bits = 0 the unsigned integer value is $2^{**}i$):

Bit Meaning if bit = 1

- O Ephemeris Gap Interpolated
- 1 Attitude Gap Interpolated
- 2 Attitude jump/discontinuity
- 3 Attitude out of range
- 4 Anomalous Time Step
- 5 GHA not calculated due to error
- 6 SunData (Group) not calculated due to error
- 7 Failure to calculate Sun in inertial coordinates
- 8 Fallback to GES ephemeris
- 9 Fallback to GEONS ephemeris
- 10 Fallback to PVT ephemeris
- 11 Fallback to OBP ephemeris
- 12 Spare (always 0)
- 13 Spare (always 0)
- 14 Spare (always 0)
- 15 Spare (always 0)

SCorientation (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

The positive angle of the spacecraft vector (v) from the satellite forward direction of motion, measured clockwise facing down. We define v in the same direction as the spacecraft axis +X, which is also the center of the GMI scan. If SCorientation is not 0 or 180, a bit is set to 1 in modeStatus.

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Value Meaning
0 +X forward (yaw 0)
180 -X forward (yaw 180)
-8000 Non-nominal pointing
-9999 Missing
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pointingStatus (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

pointingStatus is provided by the geo Toolkit. A value of zero means the pointing is good. Non-zero values indicate non-nominal pointing. If pointingStatus is non-zero, a bit in modeStatus is set to 1.

Value Meaning

- O Nominal pointing in Mission Science Mode
- 1 GPS point solution stale and PVT ephemeris used
- 2 GEONS solution stale and GEONS ephemeris used
- -8000 Non-nominal mission science orientation
- -9999 Missing

acsModeMidScan (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

acsModeMidScan is provided by the geo Toolkit as taken from Attitude Control System telemetry and is provided in this format for information only.

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Value Meaning
0
      LAUNCH
      RATENULL
1
2
      SUNPOINT
3
      GSPM (Gyro-less Sun Point)
4
      MSM (Mission Science Mode)
5
      SLEW
6
      DELTAH
7
      DELTAV
-99
      UNKNOWN -- ACS mode unavailable
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targetSelectionMidScan (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

targetSelectionMidScan is provided by the geo Toolkit as taken from Attitude Control System telemetry and is provided in this format for information only.

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Value Meaning

O S/C Z axis nadir, +X in flight direction
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- 1 Flight Z axis nadir, +X in flight direction
- 2 S/C Z axis nadir, -X in flight direction
- 3 Flight Z axis nadir, -X in flight direction
- 4 +90 yaw for DPR antenna pattern calibration
- 5 -90 yaw for DPR antenna pattern calibration
- -99 Missing

operationalMode (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

The operational mode of KuPR/KaPR stored in science telemetry. operationalMode is used in modeStatus. The range is 1 to 20.

Value Meaning

- 1 Ku/Ka Observation
- 2 Ku/Ka External Calibration
- 3 Ku/Ka Internal Calibration
- 4 Ku/Ka SSPA Analysis
- 5 Ku/Ka LNA Analysis
- 6 Ku/Ka Health-Check
- 7 Ku/Ka Standby VPRF Table OUT
- 8 Ku/Ka Standby Phase Out
- 9 Ku/Ka Standby Dump Out
- 10 Ku/Ka Standby (No Science Data)
- 11 Ku/Ka Independent Observation
- 12 Ku/Ka Independent External Calibration
- 13 Ku/Ka Independent Internal Calibration
- 14 Ku/Ka Independent SSPA Analysis
- 15 Ku/Ka Independent LNA Analysis
- 16 Ku/Ka Independent Health-Check
- 17 Ku/Ka Independent Standby VPRF Table OUT
- 18 Ku/Ka Independent Standby Phase Out
- 19 Ku/Ka Independent Standby Dump Out
- 20 Ku/Ka Independent Standby (No Science Data)

limitErrorFlag (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Bit flags for every ray with information about echo power limit checks. limitErrorFlag may be used in modeStatus. Detailed information is defined in L1B Product Format edited by JAXA/EORC.

FractionalGranuleNumber (8-byte float, array size: nscan):

The floating point granule number. The granule begins at the Southern-most point of the spacecraft's trajectory. For example, FractionalGranuleNumber = 10.5 means the spacecraft is halfway through granule 10 and starting the descending half of the granule. Values range from 0 to 100000. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

navigation (Group in NS)

scPos (4-byte float, array size: XYZ x nscan):

The position vector(m) of the spacecraft in Earth-Centered Earth Fixed (ECEF) Coordinates at the Scan mid-Time (i.e., time at the middle pixel/IFOV of the active scan period). Values range from -100000000 to 100000000 m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scVel (4-byte float, array size: XYZ x nscan):

The velocity vector (ms^{-1}) of the spacecraft in ECEF Coordinates at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -10000000 to 10000000 m/s. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scLat (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodedic latitude (decimal degrees) of the spacecraft at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -70 to 70 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scLon (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodedic longitude (decimal degrees) of the spacecraft at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAlt (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The altitude (m) of the spacecraft above the Earth Ellipsiod at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from 350000 to 500000 m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

dprAlt (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The altitude (m) of the spacecraft above the Earth Ellipsiod at the Scan mid-Time from DPR science telemetry. This is empty in non-DPR products. Values range from 350000 to 500000 m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttRollGeoc (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geocentric satellite attitude Euler roll angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. The order of the components in the file is roll, pitch, and yaw. However, the angles are computed using a 3-2-1 Euler rotation sequence representing the rotation order yaw, pitch, and roll for the rotation from Orbital Coordinates to the spacecraft body coordinates. Orbital

Coordinates represent an orthogonal triad in Geocentric Inertial Coordinates where the Z-axis is toward the geocentric nadir, the Y-axis is perpendicular to the spacecraft velocity opposite the orbit normal direction, and the X-axis is approximately in the velocity direction for a near circular orbit. Note this is geocentric, not geodetic, referenced, so that pitch and roll will have twice orbital frequency components due to the onboard control system following the oblate geodetic Earth horizon. Note also that the yaw value will show an orbital frequency component relative to the Earth fixed ground track due to the Earth rotation relative to inertial coordinates. Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttPitchGeoc (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geocentric satellite attitude Euler pitch angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. . Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as: -9999.9 Missing value

scAttYawGeoc (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geocentric satellite attitude Euler yaw angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -135 to 225 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttRollGeod (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodetic satellite attitude Euler roll angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. The order of the components in the file is roll, pitch, and yaw. However, the angles are computed using a 3-2-1 Euler rotation sequence representing the rotation order yaw, pitch, and roll for the rotation from Geodetic Coordinates to the spacecraft body coordinates. Geodetic Coordinates represent an orthogonal triad in Geocentric Inertial Coordinates where the Z-axis is toward the geodetic nadir, the Y-axis is perpendicular to the spacecraft velocity opposite the orbit normal direction, and the X-axis is approximately in the velocity direction for a near circular orbit. Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttPitchGeod (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodedic satellite attitude Euler pitch angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. . Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttYawGeod (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodedic satellite attitude Euler yaw angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -135 to 225 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

greenHourAng (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The rotation angle (degrees) from Geocentric Inertial Coordinates to Earth Fixed Coordinates. Values range from 0 to 360 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

timeMidScan (8-byte float, array size: nscan):

The Scan mid-Time in GPS Atomic time, namely the seconds since 0000 UTC,6 Jan 1980. timeMidScan is used as the reference time for the scPos and scVel values. Values range from 0 to 10000000000 s. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

timeMidScanOffset (8-byte float, array size: nscan):

Offset from the secondary header packet time to the timeMidScan. Values range from 0 to 100 s. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

PRE (Group in NS)

elevation (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Elevation of the measurement point. It is a copy of DEMHmean of level 1B product. Values are in m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

landSurfaceType (4-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Land surface type.

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0 - 99 Ocean

100 - 199 Land

200 - 299 Coast

300 - 399 Inland water

-9999 Missing value
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localZenithAngle (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Local zenith angle of each ray. It is a copy of scLocalZenith of level 1B product. Values are in degree. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

flagPrecip (4-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Precipitation or no precipitation.

For L2 Ku and L2 Ka

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0 No precipitation
1 Precipitation
-9999 Missing value
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For L2 DPR

O No precipitation by both Ku and Ka Precipitation by Ka, no rain by Ku OPRECIPITATION BY Ku, no rain by Ka Precipitation by both Ku and Ka Precipitation by both Ku and Ka

flagSigmaZeroSaturation (1-byte char, array size: nray x nscan):

A flag to show whether echoPower is under a saturated level or not at a range bin with a calculation of sigmaZeroMeasured. Values are:

0 : normal (under saturated level)

1 : possible saturated level at real surface

2 : saturated level at real surface

99 : missing

binRealSurface (2-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Range bin number for real surface. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

binStormTop (2-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Range bin number for the storm top. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

heightStormTop (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Height of storm top. Values are in m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

binClutterFreeBottom (2-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Range bin number for clutter free bottom. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

sigmaZeroMeasured (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Surface backscattering cross section without attenuation correction (as measured). Values

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are in dB. Special values are defined as:
 -9999.9 Missing value
zFactorMeasured (4-byte float, array size: nbin x nray x nscan):
Vertical profile of reflectivity factor without attenuation correction (as measured). Values
are in dBZ. Special values are defined as:
 -9999.9 Missing value
ellipsoidBinOffset (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):
Distance between the ellipsoid and a center range bin of binEllipsoid defined by level 1B
algorithm.
ellipsoidBinOffset =
    scRangeEllipsoid - { startBinRange + (binEllipsoid-1) x rangeBinSize}
scRangeEllipsoid: Distance between a sensor and the ellipsoid [m]
startBinRange : Distance between a sensor and a center
                 of the highest observed range bin [m]
binEllipsoid: Range bin number of the Ellipsoid (1 - 260)
rangeBinSize : Range bin size [m]
-9999
        Missing value
snRatioAtRealSurface (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):
Signal/Noise ratio at real surface range bin.
snRatioAtRealSurface =
    10.*log10(echoPowertrueV[mW]/noisePowertrueV[mW])
-9999
        Missing value
adjustFactor (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):
Adjustment factor (dB) for zFactorMeasured (dBZm') and sigmaZeroMeasured (dBs0m').
dBZm' and dBs0m' are used and stored as follows:
dBZm' = dBZm - adjustFactor
dBs0m' = dBs0m - adjustFactor
The adjustment factor is the sum of 3 components:
base adjustment for instrument dependency,
angle-bin adjustment for angle-bin dependency, and
temporal adjustment for orbit number dependency.
snowIceCover (1-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):
TBD. Special values are defined as:
-99 Missing value
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VER (Group in NS)

binZeroDeg (2-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Range bin number with 0 degrees C level.

For NS and MS swaths,
bin numbers are 1-based ranging
from 1 at the top of the data window
with 176 at the Ellipsoid.

For HS swaths,
bin numbers are 1-based ranging
from 1 at the top of the data window
with 88 at the Ellipsoid.

Special values are:
177: temperature at a surface is below 0 deg. C in Ku, KaMS, DPR(NS, MS).
89: temperature at a surface is below 0 deg. C in KaHS, DPR(HS).

attenuationNP (4-byte float, array size: nbin x nray x nscan):

Vertical profile of attenuation by non-precipitation particles (cloud liquid water, cloud ice water, water vapor, and oxygen molecules). Values are in dB/km. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

piaNP (4-byte float, array size: nNP x nray x nscan):

Path integrated attenuation caused by non-precipitation particles (cloud liquid water, cloud ice water, water vapor, and oxygen molecules). Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

sigmaZeroNPCorrected (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Surface backscattering cross section with attenuation correction only for non-precipitation particles. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

heightZeroDeg (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Height of freezing level (0 degrees C level) Values are in m. Special values are defined as: -9999.9 Missing value

CSF (Group in NS)

flagBB (4-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Bright band (BB) exists or not. The definition is different for L2 DPR on the one hand and L2 Ku and L2 Ka on the other.

L2 DPR: 0 no Bright Band 1 Bright Band detected by Ku and DFRm 2 Bright Band detected by Ku only 3 Bright Band detected by DFRm only -1111 No rain value -9999 Missing value L2 Ku and L2 Ka: BB not detected BB detected -1111 No rain value -9999 Missing value

binBBPeak (2-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Range bin number for the peak of bright band. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. A value of -1111 denotes no precipitation is present. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

binBBTop (2-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Range bin number for the top of bright band. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. A value of -1111 denotes no precipitation is present. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

binBBBottom (2-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Range bin number for the bottom of bright band. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. A value of -1111 denotes no precipitation is present. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

heightBB (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Height of bright band. A value of -1111.1 denotes no precipitation. Values are in m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

widthBB (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

The width of bright band. A value of -1111.1 denotes no precipitation. Values are in m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

qualityBB (4-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Quality of the bright band. When the bright band is detected, a larger positive number indicates lower confidence in the detection.

The Ku detection is clear, but the Ka and DPR detection is somewhat doubtful.

The meaning of qualityBB has not been finalized.

- 3 Smeared bright band
- 2 Not so clear bright band
- 1 Clear bright band
- O BB not detected in the case of rain
- -1111 No rain value
- -9999 Missing value

typePrecip (4-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Precipitation type is expressed by an 8-digit number. The three major rain categories, stratiform, onvective, and other, can be obtained as follows:

When typePrecip is greater than zero, Major rain type = typePrecip/10000000

- = 1 stratiform
- = 2 convective
- = 3 other
- -1111 No rain value
- -9999 Missing value

Let abcdefgh be the 8 digit number,

abcdefgh

then

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a: Main rain type. (a=1,2,3),
   b: 0,
   c: 0,
   d: V rain type,
   e: H rain type,
   f: BB,
   g: Shallow rain,
   h: Small size cell.
The following numbers appear as Ku and Ka (MS/HS) rain types:
   ---- stratiform
   1001H100
   10031000
   ---- convective
   2001H1xy (x>0 or y>0)
   2002Hbxy
   200310xy (x>0 or y>0)
   200320xy
   ---- other
   300330xy
where H is the rain type by H-method, and b depends on BB,
x on shallow rain and y on small size cell:
  H = 1: stratiform by H-method,
      2: convective by H-method,
      3: other by H-method.
  b = 0: BB not detected,
      1: BB detected.
  x = 0: No shallow rain,
      1: Shallow isolated,
      3: Shallow non-isolated.
  y = 0: No small size cell,
      1: Single cell,
      2: Small size cell consisting of two adjacent pixels.
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In the DPR product, rain type by the DFRm (measured dual frequency ratio) method is also included in typePrecip and can be obtained as follows:

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DFRm rain type = (typePrecip%10000000)/1000000 in C
DFRm rain type = (MOD(typePrecip,10000000)/1000000 in FORTRAN
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DFRm rain type
    = 1
          stratiform
    = 2
          convective
    = 4
           transition
    = 9
           DFRm method cannot be applicable (in this case
      the conventional method determines the major rain type)
-1111 No rain value
-9999 Missing value
If dual frequency data is not available
but Ku-only or Ka-olny is available,
rain type is expressed by the following 8 digit number:
  10xxxxxx --- stratiform,
  20xxxxxx --- convective,
  30xxxxxx --- other,
wihch is a copy of Ku-only module or Ka-only module.
If dual frequency data is available, rain type is
expressed by
  1qxxxxxx --- stratiform,
  2qxxxxxx --- convective,
  3qxxxxxx --- other,
where q>0.
Thus, by examining q, users can understand whether
data is processed by dual frequency algorithm or
single frequency algorithm.
For MS and HS, DFRm method is used.
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DFRm decision classifies rain type into
   stratiform,
   convective,
and
   transition.
The DPR numbering rule can be summarized as follows:
Let opgrstuv be the 8 digit number, then
   o: Main rain type. (o=1,2,3),
   p: DFRm rain type. (p=0,1,2,4,9, with p=0 for single frequency data only),
   q: DFRm BB. (q=0,1),
   r: V rain type (by conventional V-method).
      Basically r=0 for inner swath and r>0 for outer swath.
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However, r>0 when only single frequency data is available,
  s: H rain type,
  t: = 0 for innner swath,
      1 when BB is detected in the outer swath.
  u: Shallow rain,
  v: Small size cell.
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DFRm type can be obtained by examining p
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The meaning of p is as follows:
p = 0: single frequency data only (dual frequency data not available),
   1: stratiform by DFRm method,
   2: convective by DFRm method,
   4: transition by DFRm method,
   9: DFRm decision not available.
Note that p>0 always in DPR processing, which is different
from Ku-only or Ka-only result.
In Ku-only or Ka-only rain type numbering, p=0 always.
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The following numbers appear as DPR rain types:
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*********
   For NS outer swath
*********
 --- stratiform
 1901H100
 19031000
 --- convective
 2901H1xy (x>0 or y>0, see R\_type\_classification\_dpr2)
 2902Hwxy
 290310xy (x>0, y>0, see R\_type\_classification\_dpr2)
 290320xv
 --- other
 390330xy
**********
* For NS inner swath and MS *
**********
 --- stratiform
 11B0H0xy
 14B01000
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19001000 --- H decision only
  19011000 --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
  19013000 --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type.
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
  19031000 --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type.
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
  --- convective
  2100H0xy (x>0 or y>0)
  2110H00y (y>0)
  2200H0xy
  2210H00y
  2400H0xy
  2410H00y
  290010xy --- H decision only (x>0 \text{ or } y>0)
  290020xy --- H decision only
  2901HOxy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
            (x>0 \text{ or } y>0 \text{ for } H=1,3)
  2902HOxy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
  290310xy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            (x>0 \text{ or } y>0)
  290320xy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
  --- other
  340030xy
  390030xy --- H decision only
  390330xy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
*******
   For HS
*******
  --- stratiform
  11B0H000
  14B01000
  19001000 --- H decision only
  --- convective
  21B0H0x0 (x>0)
  22B0H0x0
  240010x0 (x>0, 24B010x0 with B=0)
  240020x0
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241010x0 (x>0, 24B010x0 with B=1)
  290010x0 (x>0) --- H decision only
  290020x0 --- H decision only
  --- other
  340030x0
  390030x0 --- H decision only
where w depends on BB by conventional V-method, B on BB
by DFRm method, H on H-method, x on shallow rain
and y on small size cell:
  w = 0: BB not detected by conventional V-method,
      1: BB detected by conventional V-methd.
  B = 0: BB not detected by DFRm method,
      1: BB detected by DFRm methd.
  H = 1: stratiform by H-method,
      2: convective by H-method,
      3: other by H-method.
  x = 0: No shallow rain,
      1: Shallow isolated,
      3: Shallow non-isolated.
  y = 0: No small size cell,
      1: Single cell,
      2: Small size cell consisting of two adjacent pixels.
In the above, x>0 and y>0 are taken care of in the function
R\t classification\d dpr2().
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qualityTypePrecip (4-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):
Quality of the precipitation type.
      Good
1
-1111 No rain value
-9999 Missing value
flagShallowRain (4-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):
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Type of shallow rain

- 0 No shallow rain
- 10 Shallow isolated (maybe)
- 11 Shallow isolated (certain)
- 20 Shallow non-isolated (maybe)
- 21 Shallow non-isolated (certain)
- -1111 No rain value
- -9999 Missing value

flagHeavyIcePrecip (1-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

This flag denotes strong or severe precipitation accompanied by solid ice hydrometeors above the -10 degree C isotherm. Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

flagAnvil (1-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

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flagAnvil is 1 when anvil is detected by the Ku-band radar, 0 when anvil is not detected, and -99 when the data is missing.
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Note that Ka-band decision is not made because of a lower sensitivity of Ka-band radar (therefore, there does not exist any Ka-band flagAnvil; only Ku-band flagAnvil is available in Ku-only and DPR NS).

SRT (Group in NS)

PIAalt (4-byte float, array size: method x nray x nscan):

The two-way path integrated attenuation (PIA) at from the each method estimate. The path-integrated attenuation from the jth method, where

PIAalt (j=1) = PIA_Ku from forward along-track spatial at kth angle bin

PIAalt (j=2) = PIA.Ku from backward along-track spatial at kth angle bin

PIAalt (j=3) = PIA_Ku from forward hybrid at kth angle bin

 $PIAalt (j=4) = PIA_Ku \text{ from backward hybrid at kth angle bin}$

PIAalt (j=5) = PIA_Ku from temporal reference at kth angle bin

PIAalt (j=6) = PIA_Ku from light-rain temporal reference at kth angle bin

Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

RFactorAlt (4-byte float, array size: method x nray x nscan):

The reliability factors associated with the individual PIA estimates corresponding to PIAalt. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

PIAweight (4-byte float, array size: method x nray x nscan):

The weights of the individual PIA.Ku estimates used in deriving the effective path attenuation estimate, pathAtten. The sum of the weights should equal one. Where j is method and sigma_j is the standard deviation of reference data for method j.

 $PIAweight_j = 1/sigma_j^2 * (1/Sum_j(1/sigma_j^2))$

Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

pathAtten (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

The effective 2-way path integrated attenuation. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

reliabFactor (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Reliability Factor for the effective PIA estimate, pathAtten. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

reliabFlag (2-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

The reliability flag for the effective PIA estimate (pathAtten) based on the reliability factor (Rel_eff) in reliabFactor. Reliability Flag is:

- = 1 if Rel_eff > 3; PIAeff estimate is considered reliable
- = 2 if $3 > \text{Rel_eff} > 1$; PIAeff estimate is considered marginally reliable
- = 3 if Rel_eff ≤ 1 ; PIAeff is unreliable
- = 4 if SNR_at surface < 2dB; provides a lower bound to the path-attenuation
- = 9 (no-rain case)

Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

refScanID (2-byte integer, array size: nearFar x foreBack x nray x nscan):

The number of scan lines between the current scan and the beginning (or end) of the along-track reference data at each angle bin. The values are computed by the equation: Current Scan Number - Reference Scan Number. The values are positive for the Forward estimates and negative for the Backward estimates. The Fortran indices for nearFar foreBack are:

- 1,1 Forward Near reference
- 2,1 Forward Far reference
- 1,2 Backward Near reference
- 2,2 Backward Far reference

Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

DSD (Group in NS)

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Phase state of the precipitation. As an unsigned byte value this represents:
phase < 100 Temperature(C)=phase-100</pre>
phase > 200 Temperature(C)=phase-200
phase = 100 Top of the bright band
phase = 200 Bottom of the bright band
phase = 125 is used for the range bins between
                        the top and peak of bright band
phase = 175 is used for the range bins between
                        the peak and bottom of bright band
Integer values of phase/100 =
0 - solid
1 - mixed phase
2 - liquid
255 - Missing
binNode (2-byte integer, array size: nNode x nray x nscan):
The bin number of the 5 nodes defined as:
0 - Bin number of storm top.
1 - Stratiform: 500m above center of bright band.
    Convective: 750m above Odeg C level.
2 - Stratiform: center of bright band.
    Convective: Odeg C level.
3 - Stratiform: 500m below center of bright band.
    Convective: 750m below Odeg C level.
4 - Bin number of real surface equal to
    binRealSurface in PRE group.
For NS and MS swaths,
bin numbers are 1-based ranging
from 1 at the top of the data window
with 176 at the Ellipsoid.
For HS swaths,
bin numbers are 1-based ranging
from 1 at the top of the data window
with 88 at the Ellipsoid.
-9999 - Missing
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phase (1-byte char, array size: nbin x nray x nscan):

Experimental (Group in NS)

precipRateESurface2 (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Estimates Surface Precipitation using alternate method. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipRateESurface2Status (1-byte char, array size: nray x nscan):

Status of the estimated surface precipitation using alternate method. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Special values are defined as:

255 Missing value

sigmaZeroProfile (4-byte float, array size: nbinSZP x nray x nscan):

Surface backscattering cross section profile around the current ifov. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

binDEML2 (2-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Range bin number of the digital elevation model surface estimate. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

seaIceConcentration (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Sea ice concentration estimated by Ku. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Values range from 30 to 100 percent. Special values are defined as: -9999.9 Missing value

SLV (Group in NS)

flagSLV (1-byte integer, array size: nbin x nray x nscan):

Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

paramDSD (4-byte float, array size: nDSD x nbin x nray x nscan):

Parameters of the drop size distribution. The first index is dBNw; the second index is Dm in mm. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

binEchoBottom (2-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from

1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. Special values are defined as: -9999 Missing value

piaFinal (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

The final estimates of path integrated attenuation caused by precipitation particles. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

sigmaZeroCorrected (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Surface backscatter cross section with attenuation correction. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

zFactorCorrected (4-byte float, array size: nbin x nray x nscan):

Vertical profile of reflectivity factor with attenuation correction. Values are in dBZ. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

zFactorCorrectedESurface (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Reflectivity factor with attenuation correction at estimated surface. Values are in dBZ. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

zFactorCorrectedNearSurface (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Reflectivity factor with attenuation correction at near surface. Values are in dBZ. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

paramNUBF (4-byte float, array size: nNUBF x nray x nscan):

TBD. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipRate (4-byte float, array size: nbin x nray x nscan):

Precipitation rate. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipWaterIntegrated (4-byte float, array size: LS x nray x nscan):

Precipitation water vertically integrated. Values are in g/m^2 . Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

qualitySLV (4-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

A flag to show methods in which precipRateNearSurface is retrieved. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

precipRateNearSurface (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Precipitation rate for the near surface. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipRateESurface (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Precipitation rate for the estimated surface. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipRateAve24 (4-byte float, array size: nray x nscan):

Average of precipitation rate for 2 to 4km height. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

phaseNearSurface (1-byte char, array size: nray x nscan):

Phase state of the precipitation at the Near-surface level. This is a copy of the phase in the DSD group at the Near-surface level. As an unsigned byte value this represents:

Integer values of phaseNearSurface/100 =

0 - solid

1 - mixed phase

2 - liquid

255 - Missing

epsilon (4-byte float, array size: nbin x nray x nscan):

Epsilon is the indication of the adjustment away from the initial drop size distribution, epsilon = 1 is no adjustment. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

FLG (Group in NS)

flagEcho (1-byte integer, array size: nbin x nray x nscan):

Flag of precipitation and main/side lobe clutter information of each range bin.

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Bit Meaning
O For L2
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- For L2 Ku: Precipitation judged by L2 Ku algorithm (copy of bit 2)
- O For L2 Ka: Precipitation judged by L2 Ka algorithm (copy of bit 3)
- O For L2 DPR: Precipitation judged by L2 DPR algorithm (copy of bit 1)
- 1 Precipitation judged by L2 DPR algorithm
- 2 Precipitation judged by L2 Ku algorithm
- 3 Precipitation judged by L2 Ka algorithm
- 4 Main lobe clutter judged by L2 Ku algorithm
- 5 Main lobe clutter judged by L2 Ka algorithm
- 6 Side lobe clutter judged by L2 Ku algorithm
- 7 Side lobe clutter judged by L2 Ka algorithm

qualityData (4-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Normal data gives "0". Non-zero values mean the kinds of errors. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

Flag of quality data. Bit range from 8 to 23 contains flags by each module. Each module flag has 2 bits of information.

The 2 bit flag for each module has values:

[higher bit lower bit]

- [0 0] Good
- [0 1] Warning but usable
- [1 0] NG or error

The bits of qualityData are assigned as follows:

Bit Meaning

- 0 7 Copy of dataQuality in level 1B product
- 8 9 Flag by input module
- 10 11 Flag by preparation module
- 12 13 Flag by vertical module
- 14 15 Flag by classification module
- 16 17 Flag by SRT module
- 18 19 Flag by DSD module
- 20 21 Flag by solver module
- 22 23 Flag by output module
- 24 31 Spare

qualityFlag (1-byte integer, array size: nray x nscan):

Flag derived from qualityData with the following values: Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

Value Meaning

- O High quality. No issues.
- 1 Low quality (DPR modules had warnings but still made a retrieval)
- Bad (DPR modules had errors or dataQuality is bad and retrieval is missing)

flagSensor (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Flag of input Ku/Ka data condition.

Value Meaning 1 Valid

-99 Invalid (judged by dataQuality)

MS (Swath)

MS_SwathHeader (Metadata):

SwathHeader contains metadata for swaths. This group appears in Level 1 and Level 2 data products. See Metadata for GPM Products for details.

ScanTime (Group in MS)

A UTC time associated with the scan.

Year (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

4-digit year, e.g., 1998. Values range from 1950 to 2100 years. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

Month (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Month of the year. Values range from 1 to 12 months. Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

DayOfMonth (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Day of the month. Values range from 1 to 31 days. Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

Hour (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

UTC hour of the day. Values range from 0 to 23 hours. Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

Minute (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Minute of the hour. Values range from 0 to 59 minutes. Special values are defined as:
-99 Missing value

Second (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Second of the minute. Values range from 0 to 60 s. Special values are defined as: -99 Missing value

MilliSecond (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Thousandths of the second. Values range from 0 to 999 ms. Special values are defined as: -9999 Missing value

DayOfYear (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Day of the year. Values range from 1 to 366 days. Special values are defined as: -9999 Missing value

SecondOfDay (8-byte float, array size: nscan):

A time associated with the scan. scan Time_sec is expressed as the UTC seconds of the day. Values range from 0 to 86400 s. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

Latitude (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

The earth latitude of the center of the IFOV at the altitude of the earth ellipsiod. Latitude is positive north, negative south. Values range from -90 to 90 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

Longitude (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

The earth longitude of the center of the IFOV at the altitude of the earth ellipsiod. Longitude is positive east, negative west. A point on the 180th meridian has the value -180 degrees. Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as: -9999.9 Missing value

scanStatus (Group in MS)

dataQuality (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

A summary of data quality in the scan. Unless this is 0 (normal), the scan data is meaningless to higher precipitation processing. Bit 0 is the least significant bit (i.e., if bit i = 1 and other bits = 0, the unsigned integer value is $2^{**}i$).

Bit Meaning if bit = 1

- 0 missing
- 5 geoError is not zero
- 6 modeStatus is not zero

dataWarning (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Flag of data warning for each scan.

Bit Meaning if bit = 1

- O Beam matching is abnormal
- 1 VPRF table is abnormal
- 2 Surface table is abnormal
- 3 geoWarning is not zero
- 4 Operational mode is not observation mode
- 5 GPS status is abnormal
- 6 Spare (always 0)
- 7 Check sum of L1A is abnormal

missing (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Indicates whether information is contained in the scan data. The values are:

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Bit Meaning if bit = 1
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- O Scan is missing
- 1 Science telemetry packet missing
- 2 Science telemetry segment within packet missing
- 3 Science telemetry other missing
- 4 Housekeeping (HK) telemetry packet missing
- 5 Spare (always 0)
- 6 Spare (always 0)
- 7 Spare (always 0)

modeStatus (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

A summary of status modes. If all status modes are routine, all bits in modeStatus = 0. Routine means that scan data has been measured in the normal operational situation as far as the status modes are concerned. modeStatus does not assess geolocation quality. modeStatus is broken into 8 bit flags. Each bit = 0 if the status is routine but the bit = 1 if the status is not routine. Bit 0 is the least significant bit (i.e., if bit i = 1 and other bits = 0, the unsigned integer value is 2^{**i}). The non-routine situations follow:

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Bit Meaning if bit = 1
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- 0 Spare (always 0)
- 1 SCorientation not 0 or 180
- pointingStatus not 0
- 3 Non-routine limitErrorFlag
- 4 Non-routine operationalMode (not 1 or 11)
- 5 Spare (always 0)
- 6 Spare (always 0)
- 7 Spare (always 0)

geoError (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

A summary of geolocation errors in the scan. geoError is used to set a bit in dataQuality. A zero integer value of geoError indicates 'good' geolocation. A non-zero value broken down into the bit flags below indicates the specified reason, where bit 0 is the least significant bit (i.e., if bit i = 1 and other bits = 0 the unsigned integer value is 2^{**i}).

Bits 0, 4, 5, 8 and 9 are per pixel error flags. If the number of bad pixels (for any of the reasons specified by these flags) is greater than the threshold then bit 7 = 1 and each of these flags is set to 1 if any pixel is bad for that reason. At launch this threshold is zero, so data is flagged if any pixel is bad. If the number of bad pixels is less than or equal to the threshold then bit 7 = 0 and all of these flags are also 0.

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Bit Meaning if bit = 1
0 Latitude limit exc
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- O Latitude limit exceeded for viewed pixel locations
- 1 Negative scan time, invalid input
- 2 Error getting spacecraft attitude at scan mid-time
- 3 Error getting spacecraft ephemeris at scan mid-time
- 4 Invalid input non-unit ray vector for any pixel
- 5 Ray misses Earth for any pixel with normal pointing
- 6 Nadir calculation error for subsatellite position
- 7 Pixel count with geolocation error over threshold
- 8 Error in getting spacecraft attitude for any pixel
- 9 Error in getting spacecraft ephemeris for any pixel
- 10 Spare (always 0)
- 11 Spare (always 0)
- 12 Spare (always 0)
- 13 Spare (always 0)
- 14 Spare (always 0)
- 15 Spare (always 0)

geoWarning (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

A summary of geolocation warnings in the scan. geoWarning does not set a bit in dataQuality. Warnings indicate unusual conditions. These conditions do not indicate bad geolocation but are flagged as a warning that further review of the data may be useful. A zero integer value indicates usual geolocation. A non-zero value broken down into the following bit flags indicates the following, where bit 0 is the least significant bit (i.e., if bit i = 1 and other bits = 0 the unsigned integer value is $2^{**}i$):

Bit Meaning if bit = 1

- 0 Ephemeris Gap Interpolated
- 1 Attitude Gap Interpolated
- 2 Attitude jump/discontinuity
- 3 Attitude out of range

- 4 Anomalous Time Step
- 5 GHA not calculated due to error
- 6 SunData (Group) not calculated due to error
- 7 Failure to calculate Sun in inertial coordinates
- 8 Fallback to GES ephemeris
- 9 Fallback to GEONS ephemeris
- 10 Fallback to PVT ephemeris
- 11 Fallback to OBP ephemeris
- 12 Spare (always 0)
- 13 Spare (always 0)
- 14 Spare (always 0)
- 15 Spare (always 0)

SCorientation (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

The positive angle of the spacecraft vector (v) from the satellite forward direction of motion, measured clockwise facing down. We define v in the same direction as the spacecraft axis +X, which is also the center of the GMI scan. If SCorientation is not 0 or 180, a bit is set to 1 in modeStatus.

Value Meaning

- 0 +X forward (yaw 0)
- 180 -X forward (yaw 180)
- -8000 Non-nominal pointing
- -9999 Missing

pointingStatus (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

pointingStatus is provided by the geo Toolkit. A value of zero means the pointing is good. Non-zero values indicate non-nominal pointing. If pointingStatus is non-zero, a bit in modeStatus is set to 1.

Value Meaning

- O Nominal pointing in Mission Science Mode
- 1 GPS point solution stale and PVT ephemeris used
- 2 GEONS solution stale and GEONS ephemeris used
- -8000 Non-nominal mission science orientation
- -9999 Missing

acsModeMidScan (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

acsModeMidScan is provided by the geo Toolkit as taken from Attitude Control System telemetry and is provided in this format for information only.

Value Meaning

- O LAUNCH
- 1 RATENULL

- 2 SUNPOINT
- 3 GSPM (Gyro-less Sun Point)
- 4 MSM (Mission Science Mode)
- 5 SLEW
- 6 DELTAH
- 7 DELTAV
- -99 UNKNOWN -- ACS mode unavailable

targetSelectionMidScan (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

targetSelectionMidScan is provided by the geo Toolkit as taken from Attitude Control System telemetry and is provided in this format for information only.

Value Meaning

- O S/C Z axis nadir, +X in flight direction
- 1 Flight Z axis nadir, +X in flight direction
- 2 S/C Z axis nadir, -X in flight direction
- 3 Flight Z axis nadir, -X in flight direction
- 4 +90 yaw for DPR antenna pattern calibration
- 5 -90 yaw for DPR antenna pattern calibration
- -99 Missing

operationalMode (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

The operational mode of KuPR/KaPR stored in science telemetry. operationalMode is used in modeStatus. The range is 1 to 20.

Value Meaning

- 1 Ku/Ka Observation
- 2 Ku/Ka External Calibration
- 3 Ku/Ka Internal Calibration
- 4 Ku/Ka SSPA Analysis
- 5 Ku/Ka LNA Analysis
- 6 Ku/Ka Health-Check
- 7 Ku/Ka Standby VPRF Table OUT
- 8 Ku/Ka Standby Phase Out
- 9 Ku/Ka Standby Dump Out
- 10 Ku/Ka Standby (No Science Data)
- 11 Ku/Ka Independent Observation
- 12 Ku/Ka Independent External Calibration
- 13 Ku/Ka Independent Internal Calibration
- 14 Ku/Ka Independent SSPA Analysis
- 15 Ku/Ka Independent LNA Analysis
- 16 Ku/Ka Independent Health-Check

- 17 Ku/Ka Independent Standby VPRF Table OUT
- 18 Ku/Ka Independent Standby Phase Out
- 19 Ku/Ka Independent Standby Dump Out
- 20 Ku/Ka Independent Standby (No Science Data)

limitErrorFlag (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Bit flags for every ray with information about echo power limit checks. limitErrorFlag may be used in modeStatus. Detailed information is defined in L1B Product Format edited by JAXA/EORC.

FractionalGranuleNumber (8-byte float, array size: nscan):

The floating point granule number. The granule begins at the Southern-most point of the spacecraft's trajectory. For example, FractionalGranuleNumber = 10.5 means the spacecraft is halfway through granule 10 and starting the descending half of the granule. Values range from 0 to 100000. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

navigation (Group in MS)

scPos (4-byte float, array size: XYZ x nscan):

The position vector(m) of the spacecraft in Earth-Centered Earth Fixed (ECEF) Coordinates at the Scan mid-Time (i.e., time at the middle pixel/IFOV of the active scan period). Values range from -100000000 to 100000000 m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scVel (4-byte float, array size: XYZ x nscan):

The velocity vector (ms^{-1}) of the spacecraft in ECEF Coordinates at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -10000000 to 10000000 m/s. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scLat (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodedic latitude (decimal degrees) of the spacecraft at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -70 to 70 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scLon (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodedic longitude (decimal degrees) of the spacecraft at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAlt (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The altitude (m) of the spacecraft above the Earth Ellipsiod at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from 350000 to 500000 m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

dprAlt (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The altitude (m) of the spacecraft above the Earth Ellipsiod at the Scan mid-Time from DPR science telemetry. This is empty in non-DPR products. Values range from 350000 to 500000 m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttRollGeoc (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geocentric satellite attitude Euler roll angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. The order of the components in the file is roll, pitch, and yaw. However, the angles are computed using a 3-2-1 Euler rotation sequence representing the rotation order yaw, pitch, and roll for the rotation from Orbital Coordinates to the spacecraft body coordinates. Orbital Coordinates represent an orthogonal triad in Geocentric Inertial Coordinates where the Z-axis is toward the geocentric nadir, the Y-axis is perpendicular to the spacecraft velocity opposite the orbit normal direction, and the X-axis is approximately in the velocity direction for a near circular orbit. Note this is geocentric, not geodetic, referenced, so that pitch and roll will have twice orbital frequency components due to the onboard control system following the oblate geodetic Earth horizon. Note also that the yaw value will show an orbital frequency component relative to the Earth fixed ground track due to the Earth rotation relative to inertial coordinates. Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttPitchGeoc (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geocentric satellite attitude Euler pitch angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. . Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttYawGeoc (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geocentric satellite attitude Euler yaw angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -135 to 225 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttRollGeod (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodetic satellite attitude Euler roll angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. The order of the components in the file is roll, pitch, and yaw. However, the angles are computed using a 3-2-1 Euler rotation sequence representing the rotation order yaw, pitch, and roll for the rotation from Geodetic Coordinates to the spacecraft body coordinates. Geodetic Coordinates represent an orthogonal triad in Geocentric Inertial Coordinates where the Z-axis is toward the geodetic nadir, the Y-axis is perpendicular to the spacecraft velocity opposite the orbit normal direction, and the X-axis is approximately in the velocity direction for a near circular orbit. Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values

are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttPitchGeod (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodedic satellite attitude Euler pitch angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. . Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttYawGeod (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodedic satellite attitude Euler yaw angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -135 to 225 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

greenHourAng (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The rotation angle (degrees) from Geocentric Inertial Coordinates to Earth Fixed Coordinates. Values range from 0 to 360 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

timeMidScan (8-byte float, array size: nscan):

The Scan mid-Time in GPS Atomic time, namely the seconds since 0000 UTC,6 Jan 1980. timeMidScan is used as the reference time for the scPos and scVel values. Values range from 0 to 10000000000 s. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

timeMidScanOffset (8-byte float, array size: nscan):

Offset from the secondary header packet time to the timeMidScan. Values range from 0 to 100 s. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

PRE (Group in MS)

elevation (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Elevation of the measurement point. It is a copy of DEMHmean of level 1B product. Values are in m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

landSurfaceType (4-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Land surface type.

0 - 99 Ocean 100 - 199 Land 200 - 299 Coast 300 - 399 Inland water -9999 Missing value localZenithAngle (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Local zenith angle of each ray. It is a copy of scLocalZenith of level 1B product. Values are in degree. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

flagPrecip (4-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Precipitation or no precipitation.

For L2 Ku and L2 Ka

- 0 No precipitation
 1 Precipitation
 -9999 Missing value
- For L2 DPR
- 0 No precipitation by both Ku and Ka 1 Precipitation by Ka, no rain by Ku 10 Precipitation by Ku, no rain by Ka 11 Precipitation by both Ku and Ka -9999 Missing value

flagSigmaZeroSaturation (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

A flag to show whether echoPower is under a saturated level or not at a range bin with a calculation of sigmaZeroMeasured. Values are:

0 : normal (under saturated level)

1 : possible saturated level at real surface

2 : saturated level at real surface

99 : missing

binRealSurface (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Range bin number for real surface. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

binStormTop (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Range bin number for the storm top. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based

ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

heightStormTop (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Height of storm top. Values are in m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

binClutterFreeBottom (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Range bin number for clutter free bottom. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

sigmaZeroMeasured (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Surface backscattering cross section without attenuation correction (as measured). Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

zFactorMeasured (4-byte float, array size: nbin x nrayMS x nscan):

Vertical profile of reflectivity factor without attenuation correction (as measured). Values are in dBZ. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

ellipsoidBinOffset (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Distance between the ellipsoid and a center range bin of binEllipsoid defined by level 1B algorithm.

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ellipsoidBinOffset =
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scRangeEllipsoid - { startBinRange + (binEllipsoid-1) x rangeBinSize}

scRangeEllipsoid: Distance between a sensor and the ellipsoid [m]

startBinRange : Distance between a sensor and a center

of the highest observed range bin [m]

binEllipsoid: Range bin number of the Ellipsoid (1 - 260)

rangeBinSize : Range bin size [m]

-9999 Missing value

snRatioAtRealSurface (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Signal/Noise ratio at real surface range bin.

snRatioAtRealSurface =

10.*log10(echoPowertrueV[mW]/noisePowertrueV[mW])

-9999 Missing value

adjustFactor (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan): Adjustment factor (dB) for zFactorMeasured (dBZm') and sigmaZeroMeasured (dBs0m'). dBZm' and dBs0m' are used and stored as follows:

dBZm' = dBZm - adjustFactor
dBsOm' = dBsOm - adjustFactor
The adjustment factor is the sum of 3 components:
base adjustment for instrument dependency,
angle-bin adjustment for angle-bin dependency, and
temporal adjustment for orbit number dependency.

snowIceCover (1-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):TBD. Special values are defined as:-99 Missing value

VER (Group in MS)

binZeroDeg (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Range bin number with 0 degrees C level.

For NS and MS swaths,
bin numbers are 1-based ranging
from 1 at the top of the data window
with 176 at the Ellipsoid.

For HS swaths,
bin numbers are 1-based ranging
from 1 at the top of the data window
with 88 at the Ellipsoid.

Special values are:
177: temperature at a surface is below 0 deg. C in

177: temperature at a surface is below 0 deg. C in Ku, KaMS, DPR(NS, MS). 89: temperature at a surface is below 0 deg. C in KaHS, DPR(HS).

attenuationNP (4-byte float, array size: nbin x nrayMS x nscan):

Vertical profile of attenuation by non-precipitation particles (cloud liquid water, cloud ice water, water vapor, and oxygen molecules). Values are in dB/km. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

piaNP (4-byte float, array size: nNP x nrayMS x nscan):

Path integrated attenuation caused by non-precipitation particles (cloud liquid water, cloud ice water, water vapor, and oxygen molecules). Values are in dB. Special values are

defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

sigmaZeroNPCorrected (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Surface backscattering cross section with attenuation correction only for non-precipitation particles. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

heightZeroDeg (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Height of freezing level (0 degrees C level) Values are in m. Special values are defined as: -9999.9 Missing value

CSF (Group in MS)

flagBB (4-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Bright band (BB) exists or not. The definition is different for L2 DPR on the one hand and L2 Ku and L2 Ka on the other.

L2 DPR:

- 0 no Bright Band
- 1 Bright Band detected by Ku and DFRm
- 2 Bright Band detected by Ku only
- 3 Bright Band detected by DFRm only
- -1111 No rain value
- -9999 Missing value

L2 Ku and L2 Ka:

- O BB not detected
- 1 BB detected
- -1111 No rain value
- -9999 Missing value

binBBPeak (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Range bin number for the peak of bright band. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. A value of -1111 denotes no precipitation is present. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

binBBTop (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Range bin number for the top of bright band. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88

at the Ellipsoid.A value of -1111 denotes no precipitation is present. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

binDFRmMLBottom (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Range bin number for melting layer bottom detected by the DFRm method.

Value Meaning

- >0 Range bin number when ML bottom is detected
- 0 ML bottom not detected
- -1111 Value for no rain in MS(HS) mode at Ka band
- -9999 Missing

binDFRmMLTop (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Range bin number for melting layer top detected by the DFRm method.

Value Meaning

- >0 Range bin number when ML top is detected
 - 0 ML top not detected
- -1111 Value for no rain in MS(HS) mode at Ka band
- -9999 Missing

binBBBottom (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Range bin number for the bottom of bright band. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. A value of -1111 denotes no precipitation is present. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

heightBB (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Height of bright band. A value of -1111.1 denotes no precipitation. Values are in m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

widthBB (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

The width of bright band. A value of -1111.1 denotes no precipitation. Values are in m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

qualityBB (4-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Quality of the bright band. When the bright band is detected, a larger positive number indicates lower confidence in the detection. The Ku detection is clear, but the Ka and DPR detection is somewhat doubtful.

The meaning of qualityBB has not been finalized.

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3 Smeared bright band
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- 2 Not so clear bright band
- 1 Clear bright band
- O BB not detected in the case of rain
- -1111 No rain value
- -9999 Missing value

typePrecip (4-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Precipitation type is expressed by an 8-digit number. The three major rain categories, stratiform, onvective, and other, can be obtained as follows:

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When typePrecip is greater than zero, Major rain type = typePrecip/10000000
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- = 1 stratiform
- = 2 convective
- = 3 other

-1111 No rain value

-9999 Missing value

Let abcdefgh be the 8 digit number,

abcdefgh

then

- a: Main rain type. (a=1,2,3),
- b: 0,
- c: 0,
- d: V rain type,
- e: H rain type,
- f: BB,
- g: Shallow rain,
- h: Small size cell.

The following numbers appear as Ku and Ka (MS/HS) rain types:

---- stratiform

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1001H100
  10031000
  ---- convective
  2001H1xy (x>0 or y>0)
  2002Hbxy
  200310xy (x>0 or y>0)
  200320xy
  ---- other
  300330xy
where H is the rain type by H-method, and b depends on BB,
x on shallow rain and y on small size cell:
 H = 1: stratiform by H-method,
     2: convective by H-method,
     3: other by H-method.
 b = 0: BB not detected,
     1: BB detected.
 x = 0: No shallow rain.
     1: Shallow isolated,
     3: Shallow non-isolated.
 y = 0: No small size cell,
     1: Single cell,
     2: Small size cell consisting of two adjacent pixels.
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In the DPR product, rain type by the DFRm (measured dual frequency ratio) method is also included in typePrecip and can be obtained as follows:

If dual frequency data is not available

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but Ku-only or Ka-olny is available,
rain type is expressed by the following 8 digit number:
 10xxxxxx --- stratiform,
 20xxxxxx --- convective,
 30xxxxxx --- other,
wihch is a copy of Ku-only module or Ka-only module.
If dual frequency data is available, rain type is
expressed by
 1qxxxxxx --- stratiform,
 2qxxxxxx --- convective,
 3qxxxxxx --- other,
where q>0.
Thus, by examining q, users can understand whether
data is processed by dual frequency algorithm or
single frequency algorithm.
_____
For MS and HS, DFRm method is used.
_____
DFRm decision classifies rain type into
  stratiform,
  convective,
and
  transition.
The DPR numbering rule can be summarized as follows:
Let opqrstuv be the 8 digit number, then
  o: Main rain type. (o=1,2,3),
  p: DFRm rain type. (p=0,1,2,4,9, with p=0 for single frequency data only),
  q: DFRm BB. (q=0,1),
  r: V rain type (by conventional V-method).
     Basically r=0 for inner swath and r>0 for outer swath.
     However, r>0 when only single frequency data is available,
  s: H rain type,
  t: = 0 for innner swath,
       1 when BB is detected in the outer swath.
  u: Shallow rain,
  v: Small size cell.
_____
DFRm type can be obtained by examining p
_____
The meaning of p is as follows:
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p = 0: single frequency data only (dual frequncy data not available),
    1: stratiform by DFRm method,
    2: convective by DFRm method,
    4: transition by DFRm method,
    9: DFRm decision not available.
Note that p>0 always in DPR processing, which is different
from Ku-only or Ka-only result.
In Ku-only or Ka-only rain type numbering, p=0 always.
_____
   _____
The following numbers appear as DPR rain types:
_____
*********
   For NS outer swath
********
 --- stratiform
 1901H100
 19031000
 --- convective
 2901H1xy (x>0 or y>0, see R\_type\_classification\_dpr2)
 2902Hwxy
 290310xy (x>0, y>0, see R\_type\_classification\_dpr2)
 290320xv
 --- other
 390330xy
**********
* For NS inner swath and MS *
**********
 --- stratiform
 11B0H0xy
 14B01000
 19001000 --- H decision only
 19011000 --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
          or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
 19013000 --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type.
          or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
 19031000 --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type.
          or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
 --- convective
 2100H0xy (x>0 or y>0)
 2110H00y (y>0)
 2200H0xy
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2210H00y
  2400H0xv
  2410H00y
  290010xy --- H decision only (x>0 \text{ or } y>0)
  290020xy --- H decision only
  2901HOxy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
            (x>0 \text{ or } y>0 \text{ for } H=1,3)
  2902HOxy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
  290310xy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            (x>0 \text{ or } y>0)
  290320xy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
  --- other
  340030xy
  390030xy --- H decision only
  390330xy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
*******
   For HS
********
  --- stratiform
  11B0H000
  14B01000
  19001000 --- H decision only
  --- convective
  21B0H0x0 (x>0)
  22B0H0x0
  240010x0 (x>0, 24B010x0 with B=0)
  240020x0
  241010x0 (x>0, 24B010x0 with B=1)
  290010x0 (x>0) --- H decision only
  290020x0 --- H decision only
  --- other
  340030x0
  390030x0 --- H decision only
where w depends on BB by conventional V-method, B on BB
by DFRm method, H on H-method, x on shallow rain
and y on small size cell:
  w = 0: BB not detected by conventional V-method,
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1: BB detected by conventional V-methd.
  B = 0: BB not detected by DFRm method,
      1: BB detected by DFRm methd.
  H = 1: stratiform by H-method,
      2: convective by H-method,
      3: other by H-method.
  x = 0: No shallow rain,
      1: Shallow isolated,
      3: Shallow non-isolated.
  y = 0: No small size cell,
      1: Single cell,
      2: Small size cell consisting of two adjacent pixels.
In the above, x>0 and y>0 are taken care of in the function
R\t classification\d dpr2().
qualityTypePrecip (4-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):
Quality of the precipitation type.
      Good
```

-1111 No rain value

-9999 Missing value

flagShallowRain (4-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

```
Type of shallow rain
       No shallow rain
10
       Shallow isolated (maybe)
       Shallow isolated (certain)
11
20
       Shallow non-isolated (maybe)
       Shallow non-isolated (certain)
-1111 No rain value
-9999 Missing value
```

flagHeavyIcePrecip (1-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

This flag denotes strong or severe precipitation accompanied by solid ice hydrometeors above the -10 degree C isotherm. Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

SRT (Group in MS)

PIAalt (4-byte float, array size: method x nrayMS x nscan):

The two-way path integrated attenuation (PIA) at from the each method estimate. The path-integrated attenuation from the jth method, where

PIAalt (j=1) = PIA_Ku from forward along-track spatial at kth angle bin

PIAalt (j=2) = PIA_Ku from backward along-track spatial at kth angle bin

PIAalt (j=3) = PIA_Ku from forward hybrid at kth angle bin

PIAalt (j=4) = PIA_Ku from backward hybrid at kth angle bin

PIAalt (j=5) = PIA_Ku from temporal reference at kth angle bin

PIAalt (j=6) = PIA_Ku from light-rain temporal reference at kth angle bin

Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

RFactorAlt (4-byte float, array size: method x nrayMS x nscan):

The reliability factors associated with the individual PIA estimates corresponding to PIAalt. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

PIAweight (4-byte float, array size: method x nrayMS x nscan):

The weights of the individual PIA_Ku estimates used in deriving the effective path attenuation estimate, pathAtten. The sum of the weights should equal one. Where j is method and sigma_j is the standard deviation of reference data for method j.

 $PIAweight_j = 1/sigma_j^2 * (1/Sum_j(1/sigma_j^2))$

Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

pathAtten (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

The effective 2-way path integrated attenuation. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

reliabFactor (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Reliability Factor for the effective PIA estimate, pathAtten. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

reliabFlag (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

The reliability flag for the effective PIA estimate (pathAtten) based on the reliability factor (Rel_eff) in reliabFactor. Reliability Flag is:

- = 1 if Rel_eff > 3; PIAeff estimate is considered reliable
- = 2 if $3 > \text{Rel_eff} > 1$; PIAeff estimate is considered marginally reliable
- = 3 if Rel_eff ≤ 1 ; PIAeff is unreliable
- = 4 if SNR_at surface < 2dB; provides a lower bound to the path-attenuation
- = 9 (no-rain case)

Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

refScanID (2-byte integer, array size: nearFar x foreBack x nrayMS x nscan):

The number of scan lines between the current scan and the beginning (or end) of the along-track reference data at each angle bin. The values are computed by the equation: Current Scan Number - Reference Scan Number. The values are positive for the Forward estimates and negative for the Backward estimates. The Fortran indices for nearFar foreBack are:

- 1,1 Forward Near reference
- 2,1 Forward Far reference
- 1,2 Backward Near reference
- 2,2 Backward Far reference

Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

DSD (Group in MS)

binNode (2-byte integer, array size: nNode x nrayMS x nscan):

The bin number of the 5 nodes defined as:

- 0 Bin number of storm top.
- 1 Stratiform: 500m above center of bright band.

Convective: 750m above Odeg C level.

- 2 Stratiform: center of bright band.
 - Convective: Odeg C level.
- 3 Stratiform: 500m below center of bright band.

Convective: 750m below Odeg C level.

4 - Bin number of real surface equal to binRealSurface in PRE group.

For NS and MS swaths,

bin numbers are 1-based ranging

from 1 at the top of the data window

with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. -9999 - Missing

Experimental (Group in MS)

precipRateESurface2 (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Estimates Surface Precipitation using alternate method. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipRateESurface2Status (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Status of the estimated surface precipitation using alternate method. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Special values are defined as:

255 Missing value

sigmaZeroProfile (4-byte float, array size: nbinSZP x nrayMS x nscan):

Surface backscattering cross section profile around the current ifov. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

binDEML2 (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Range bin number of the digital elevation model surface estimate. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

seaIceConcentration (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Sea ice concentration estimated by Ku. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Values range from 30 to 100 percent. Special values are defined as: -9999.9 Missing value

flagSurfaceSnowfall (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Flag indicating snowfall on the surface, not aloft. 1 for snow, 0 for not snow. Special values are defined as:

255 Missing value

surfaceSnowfallIndex (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Housekeeping product for test purposes. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

SLV (Group in MS)

binEchoBottom (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

piaFinal (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

The final estimates of path integrated attenuation caused by precipitation particles. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

sigmaZeroCorrected (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Surface backscatter cross section with attenuation correction. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

zFactorCorrected (4-byte float, array size: nbin x nrayMS x nscan):

Vertical profile of reflectivity factor with attenuation correction. Values are in dBZ. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

zFactorCorrectedESurface (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Reflectivity factor with attenuation correction at estimated surface. Values are in dBZ. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

zFactorCorrectedNearSurface (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Reflectivity factor with attenuation correction at near surface. Values are in dBZ. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

paramNUBF (4-byte float, array size: nNUBF x nrayMS x nscan):

TBD. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipWaterIntegrated (4-byte float, array size: LS x nrayMS x nscan):

Precipitation water vertically integrated. Values are in g/m^2 . Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipRateNearSurface (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Precipitation rate for the near surface. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipRateESurface (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Precipitation rate for the estimated surface. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipRateAve24 (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Average of precipitation rate for 2 to 4km height. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

phaseNearSurface (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Phase state of the precipitation at the Near-surface level. This is a copy of the phase in the DSD group at the Near-surface level. As an unsigned byte value this represents:

Integer values of phaseNearSurface/100 =

0 - solid

1 - mixed phase

2 - liquid

255 - Missing

epsilon (4-byte float, array size: nbin x nrayMS x nscan):

Epsilon is the indication of the adjustment away from the initial drop size distribution, epsilon = 1 is no adjustment. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

FLG (Group in MS)

flagEcho (1-byte integer, array size: nbin x nrayMS x nscan):

Flag of precipitation and main/side lobe clutter information of each range bin.

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Bit Meaning
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- O For L2 Ku: Precipitation judged by L2 Ku algorithm (copy of bit 2)
- O For L2 Ka: Precipitation judged by L2 Ka algorithm (copy of bit 3)
- O For L2 DPR: Precipitation judged by L2 DPR algorithm (copy of bit 1)
- 1 Precipitation judged by L2 DPR algorithm
- 2 Precipitation judged by L2 Ku algorithm
- 3 Precipitation judged by L2 Ka algorithm
- 4 Main lobe clutter judged by L2 Ku algorithm
- 5 Main lobe clutter judged by L2 Ka algorithm
- 6 Side lobe clutter judged by L2 Ku algorithm
- 7 Side lobe clutter judged by L2 Ka algorithm

qualityData (4-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Normal data gives "0". Non-zero values mean the kinds of errors. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

Flag of quality data. Bit range from 8 to 23 contains flags by each module. Each module flag has 2 bits of information.

The 2 bit flag for each module has values:

[higher bit lower bit]

- [0 0] Good
- [0 1] Warning but usable
- [1 0] NG or error

The bits of qualityData are assigned as follows:

Bit Meaning

- 0 7 Copy of dataQuality in level 1B product
- 8 9 Flag by input module
- 10 11 Flag by preparation module
- 12 13 Flag by vertical module
- 14 15 Flag by classification module
- 16 17 Flag by SRT module
- 18 19 Flag by DSD module
- 20 21 Flag by solver module
- 22 23 Flag by output module
- 24 31 Spare

qualityFlag (1-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Flag derived from qualityData with the following values: Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

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Value
         Meaning
         High quality. No issues.
1
         Low quality (DPR modules had warnings but still made a retrieval)
         Bad (DPR modules had errors or dataQuality is bad and
         retrieval is missing)
flagSensor (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):
Flag of input Ku/Ka data condition.
Value Meaning
       Valid
1
-99
       Invalid (judged by dataQuality)
TRG (Group in MS)
NUBFindex (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):
Trigger Primary Output: final index of NUBF presence.
Integer between 0 and 100.
MSindexKu (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):
Trigger Primary Output: final index of MS presence at Ku.
Integer between 0 and 100.
MSindexKa (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):
Trigger Primary Output: final index of MS presence at Ka.
Integer between 0 and 100.
precipFrac (1-byte char, array size: three x nrayMS x nscan):
Trigger Primary Output: number of neighbors estimated
to be "empty" in the 3 neighborhoods
```

(4MS, 4MS+4HS, 8MS+4HS)

RNUBFcond (4-byte float, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger Primary Output: estimate of Sigma n (as defined in Iguchi et al. 2000)

MSsurfPeakIndexKu (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger Secondary Output: index of surface peak reliability for the purpose of MS assessment at Ku.

MSsurfPeakIndexKa (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger Secondary Output: index of surface peak reliability for the purpose of MS assessment at Ka.

MSthroughsurfIndexKu (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger Secondary Output: index of MS tail through surface at Ku.

MSthroughsurfIndexKa (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger Secondary Output: index of MS tail through surface at Ka.

MSkneeDFRindex (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger Secondary Output: index of DFR Knee presence.

MSthrZindex (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger Secondary Output: high Z in ice index.

NUBFratioPIAindex (1-byte char, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger Secondary Output: NUBF index based on the PIA departure. Accounts for PIA reliability flags.

NUBFnZmVarIndex (1-byte char, array size: three x nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger Secondary Output: NUBF index based on the variability of Z (flat weight) in 4/8/12 neighbors at Ka

NUBFnZkVarIndex (1-byte char, array size: three x nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger Secondary Output: NUBF index based on the variability of Z (k-weighted) in 4/8/12 neighbors at Ka

NUBFnZmVarScaling (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger Secondary Output: scaling of the NUBFnZmVarIndex

NUBFnZkVarScaling (2-byte integer, array size: nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger Secondary Output: scaling of the NUBFnZkVarIndex

NUBFsurfSliceIndex (4-byte float, array size: thirty x nrayMS x nscan):

Placeholder for the Surface Range Slicing Approach by Meneghini and Liang

NUBFprofZPC (4-byte float, array size: thirty x nrayMS x nscan):

Placeholder for the Z PC approach by Haddad.

MSbreakpoints (2-byte integer, array size: thirteen x nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger diagnostic. 3 range bins selected for the Knee check, and 5 for the through Surface check (for each Ku and Ka).

MSslopes (4-byte float, array size: ten x nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger diagnostic. 2 slopes for the Knee check, and 4 for the through Surface check.

MSslopePoints (4-byte float, array size: thirteen x nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger diagnostic. Zfit values at 13 critical breakpoints.

MSslopeFits (4-byte float, array size: six x nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger diagnostic. Rmse for the 5 slope fits.

MSlowSNRrangeFilter (1-byte char, array size: four x nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger diagnostic. Type and length of the 2 filters used to regularize profile below SNR.

NUBFcorrPIA (4-byte float, array size: two x nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger diagnostic. Final PIA after reconciliation, used for the NUBFratioPIAindex.

triggerParameters (4-byte float, array size: eight x nrayMS x nscan):

Trigger configuration. Set of tunable parameters (not output of the algorithm). Only for version control.

HS (Swath)

HS_SwathHeader (Metadata):

SwathHeader contains metadata for swaths. This group appears in Level 1 and Level 2 data products. See Metadata for GPM Products for details.

ScanTime (Group in HS)

A UTC time associated with the scan.

Year (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

4-digit year, e.g., 1998. Values range from 1950 to 2100 years. Special values are defined as:

Month (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Month of the year. Values range from 1 to 12 months. Special values are defined as: -99 Missing value

DayOfMonth (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Day of the month. Values range from 1 to 31 days. Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

Hour (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

UTC hour of the day. Values range from 0 to 23 hours. Special values are defined as: -99 Missing value

Minute (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Minute of the hour. Values range from 0 to 59 minutes. Special values are defined as: -99 Missing value

Second (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Second of the minute. Values range from 0 to 60 s. Special values are defined as: -99 Missing value

MilliSecond (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Thousandths of the second. Values range from 0 to 999 ms. Special values are defined as: -9999 Missing value

DayOfYear (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Day of the year. Values range from 1 to 366 days. Special values are defined as: -9999 Missing value

SecondOfDay (8-byte float, array size: nscan):

A time associated with the scan. scanTime_sec is expressed as the UTC seconds of the day. Values range from 0 to 86400 s. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

Latitude (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

The earth latitude of the center of the IFOV at the altitude of the earth ellipsiod. Latitude is positive north, negative south. Values range from -90 to 90 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

Longitude (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

The earth longitude of the center of the IFOV at the altitude of the earth ellipsiod. Longitude is positive east, negative west. A point on the 180th meridian has the value -180 degrees. Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scanStatus (Group in HS)

dataQuality (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

A summary of data quality in the scan. Unless this is 0 (normal), the scan data is meaningless to higher precipitation processing. Bit 0 is the least significant bit (i.e., if bit i = 1 and other bits = 0, the unsigned integer value is $2^{**}i$).

```
Bit Meaning if bit = 1
0 missing
```

- 5 geoError is not zero
- 6 modeStatus is not zero

dataWarning (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Flag of data warning for each scan.

```
Bit Meaning if bit = 1
```

- O Beam matching is abnormal
- 1 VPRF table is abnormal
- 2 Surface table is abnormal
- 3 geoWarning is not zero
- 4 Operational mode is not observation mode
- 5 GPS status is abnormal
- 6 Spare (always 0)
- 7 Check sum of L1A is abnormal

missing (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Indicates whether information is contained in the scan data. The values are:

```
Bit Meaning if bit = 1
```

- O Scan is missing
- 1 Science telemetry packet missing
- 2 Science telemetry segment within packet missing
- 3 Science telemetry other missing
- 4 Housekeeping (HK) telemetry packet missing
- 5 Spare (always 0)
- 6 Spare (always 0)
- 7 Spare (always 0)

modeStatus (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

A summary of status modes. If all status modes are routine, all bits in modeStatus = 0. Routine means that scan data has been measured in the normal operational situation as far as the status modes are concerned. modeStatus does not assess geolocation quality. modeStatus is broken into 8 bit flags. Each bit = 0 if the status is routine but the bit = 1 if the status is not routine. Bit 0 is the least significant bit (i.e., if bit i = 1 and other bits = 0, the unsigned integer value is $2^{**}i$). The non-routine situations follow:

```
Bit Meaning if bit = 1

0 Spare (always 0)

1 SCorientation not 0 or 180

2 pointingStatus not 0

3 Non-routine limitErrorFlag

4 Non-routine operationalMode (not 1 or 11)

5 Spare (always 0)

6 Spare (always 0)

7 Spare (always 0)
```

geoError (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

A summary of geolocation errors in the scan. geoError is used to set a bit in dataQuality. A zero integer value of geoError indicates 'good' geolocation. A non-zero value broken down into the bit flags below indicates the specified reason, where bit 0 is the least significant bit (i.e., if bit i = 1 and other bits = 0 the unsigned integer value is 2^{**i}).

Bits 0, 4, 5, 8 and 9 are per pixel error flags. If the number of bad pixels (for any of the reasons specified by these flags) is greater than the threshold then bit 7 = 1 and each of these flags is set to 1 if any pixel is bad for that reason. At launch this threshold is zero, so data is flagged if any pixel is bad. If the number of bad pixels is less than or equal to the threshold then bit 7 = 0 and all of these flags are also 0.

```
Bit Meaning if bit = 1
   Latitude limit exceeded for viewed pixel locations
1
   Negative scan time, invalid input
2
   Error getting spacecraft attitude at scan mid-time
3
   Error getting spacecraft ephemeris at scan mid-time
4
   Invalid input non-unit ray vector for any pixel
5
   Ray misses Earth for any pixel with normal pointing
6
   Nadir calculation error for subsatellite position
7
   Pixel count with geolocation error over threshold
   Error in getting spacecraft attitude for any pixel
9
   Error in getting spacecraft ephemeris for any pixel
10
   Spare (always 0)
   Spare (always 0)
   Spare (always 0)
12
   Spare (always 0)
13
   Spare (always 0)
14
   Spare (always 0)
15
```

geoWarning (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

A summary of geolocation warnings in the scan. geoWarning does not set a bit in dataQuality. Warnings indicate unusual conditions. These conditions do not indicate

bad geolocation but are flagged as a warning that further review of the data may be useful. A zero integer value indicates usual geolocation. A non-zero value broken down into the following bit flags indicates the following, where bit 0 is the least significant bit (i.e., if bit i = 1 and other bits = 0 the unsigned integer value is $2^{**}i$):

```
Bit Meaning if bit = 1
   Ephemeris Gap Interpolated
1
   Attitude Gap Interpolated
2
   Attitude jump/discontinuity
3
   Attitude out of range
4
   Anomalous Time Step
5
   GHA not calculated due to error
   SunData (Group) not calculated due to error
7
   Failure to calculate Sun in inertial coordinates
   Fallback to GES ephemeris
8
   Fallback to GEONS ephemeris
10 Fallback to PVT ephemeris
11 Fallback to OBP ephemeris
12 Spare (always 0)
13 Spare (always 0)
14 Spare (always 0)
15 Spare (always 0)
```

SCorientation (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

The positive angle of the spacecraft vector (v) from the satellite forward direction of motion, measured clockwise facing down. We define v in the same direction as the spacecraft axis +X, which is also the center of the GMI scan. If SCorientation is not 0 or 180, a bit is set to 1 in modeStatus.

```
Value Meaning
0 +X forward (yaw 0)
180 -X forward (yaw 180)
-8000 Non-nominal pointing
-9999 Missing
```

pointingStatus (2-byte integer, array size: nscan):

pointingStatus is provided by the geo Toolkit. A value of zero means the pointing is good. Non-zero values indicate non-nominal pointing. If pointingStatus is non-zero, a bit in modeStatus is set to 1.

Value Meaning

- O Nominal pointing in Mission Science Mode
- 1 GPS point solution stale and PVT ephemeris used
- 2 GEONS solution stale and GEONS ephemeris used

- -8000 Non-nominal mission science orientation
- -9999 Missing

acsModeMidScan (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

acsModeMidScan is provided by the geo Toolkit as taken from Attitude Control System telemetry and is provided in this format for information only.

Value Meaning

- O LAUNCH
- 1 RATENULL
- 2 SUNPOINT
- 3 GSPM (Gyro-less Sun Point)
- 4 MSM (Mission Science Mode)
- 5 SLEW
- 6 DELTAH
- 7 DELTAV
- -99 UNKNOWN -- ACS mode unavailable

targetSelectionMidScan (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

targetSelectionMidScan is provided by the geo Toolkit as taken from Attitude Control System telemetry and is provided in this format for information only.

Value Meaning

- O S/C Z axis nadir, +X in flight direction
- 1 Flight Z axis nadir, +X in flight direction
- 2 S/C Z axis nadir, -X in flight direction
- 3 Flight Z axis nadir, -X in flight direction
- 4 +90 yaw for DPR antenna pattern calibration
- 5 -90 yaw for DPR antenna pattern calibration
- -99 Missing

operationalMode (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

The operational mode of KuPR/KaPR stored in science telemetry. operationalMode is used in modeStatus. The range is 1 to 20.

Value Meaning

- 1 Ku/Ka Observation
- 2 Ku/Ka External Calibration
- 3 Ku/Ka Internal Calibration
- 4 Ku/Ka SSPA Analysis
- 5 Ku/Ka LNA Analysis
- 6 Ku/Ka Health-Check

- 7 Ku/Ka Standby VPRF Table OUT
- 8 Ku/Ka Standby Phase Out
- 9 Ku/Ka Standby Dump Out
- 10 Ku/Ka Standby (No Science Data)
- 11 Ku/Ka Independent Observation
- 12 Ku/Ka Independent External Calibration
- 13 Ku/Ka Independent Internal Calibration
- 14 Ku/Ka Independent SSPA Analysis
- 15 Ku/Ka Independent LNA Analysis
- 16 Ku/Ka Independent Health-Check
- 17 Ku/Ka Independent Standby VPRF Table OUT
- 18 Ku/Ka Independent Standby Phase Out
- 19 Ku/Ka Independent Standby Dump Out
- 20 Ku/Ka Independent Standby (No Science Data)

limitErrorFlag (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Bit flags for every ray with information about echo power limit checks. limitErrorFlag may be used in modeStatus. Detailed information is defined in L1B Product Format edited by JAXA/EORC.

FractionalGranuleNumber (8-byte float, array size: nscan):

The floating point granule number. The granule begins at the Southern-most point of the spacecraft's trajectory. For example, FractionalGranuleNumber = 10.5 means the spacecraft is halfway through granule 10 and starting the descending half of the granule. Values range from 0 to 100000. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

navigation (Group in HS)

scPos (4-byte float, array size: XYZ x nscan):

The position vector(m) of the spacecraft in Earth-Centered Earth Fixed (ECEF) Coordinates at the Scan mid-Time (i.e., time at the middle pixel/IFOV of the active scan period). Values range from -100000000 to 100000000 m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scVel (4-byte float, array size: XYZ x nscan):

The velocity vector (ms^{-1}) of the spacecraft in ECEF Coordinates at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -10000000 to 10000000 m/s. Special values are defined as:

scLat (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodedic latitude (decimal degrees) of the spacecraft at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -70 to 70 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scLon (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodedic longitude (decimal degrees) of the spacecraft at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAlt (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The altitude (m) of the spacecraft above the Earth Ellipsiod at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from 350000 to 500000 m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

dprAlt (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The altitude (m) of the spacecraft above the Earth Ellipsiod at the Scan mid-Time from DPR science telemetry. This is empty in non-DPR products. Values range from 350000 to 500000 m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttRollGeoc (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geocentric satellite attitude Euler roll angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. The order of the components in the file is roll, pitch, and yaw. However, the angles are computed using a 3-2-1 Euler rotation sequence representing the rotation order yaw, pitch, and roll for the rotation from Orbital Coordinates to the spacecraft body coordinates. Orbital Coordinates represent an orthogonal triad in Geocentric Inertial Coordinates where the Z-axis is toward the geocentric nadir, the Y-axis is perpendicular to the spacecraft velocity opposite the orbit normal direction, and the X-axis is approximately in the velocity direction for a near circular orbit. Note this is geocentric, not geodetic, referenced, so that pitch and roll will have twice orbital frequency components due to the onboard control system following the oblate geodetic Earth horizon. Note also that the yaw value will show an orbital frequency component relative to the Earth fixed ground track due to the Earth rotation relative to inertial coordinates. Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttPitchGeoc (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geocentric satellite attitude Euler pitch angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. . Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttYawGeoc (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geocentric satellite attitude Euler yaw angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -135 to 225 degrees. Special values are defined as:

scAttRollGeod (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodetic satellite attitude Euler roll angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. The order of the components in the file is roll, pitch, and yaw. However, the angles are computed using a 3-2-1 Euler rotation sequence representing the rotation order yaw, pitch, and roll for the rotation from Geodetic Coordinates to the spacecraft body coordinates. Geodetic Coordinates represent an orthogonal triad in Geocentric Inertial Coordinates where the Z-axis is toward the geodetic nadir, the Y-axis is perpendicular to the spacecraft velocity opposite the orbit normal direction, and the X-axis is approximately in the velocity direction for a near circular orbit. Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttPitchGeod (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodedic satellite attitude Euler pitch angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. . Values range from -180 to 180 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

scAttYawGeod (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The geodedic satellite attitude Euler yaw angle (degrees) at the Scan mid-Time. Values range from -135 to 225 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

greenHourAng (4-byte float, array size: nscan):

The rotation angle (degrees) from Geocentric Inertial Coordinates to Earth Fixed Coordinates. Values range from 0 to 360 degrees. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

timeMidScan (8-byte float, array size: nscan):

The Scan mid-Time in GPS Atomic time, namely the seconds since 0000 UTC,6 Jan 1980. timeMidScan is used as the reference time for the scPos and scVel values. Values range from 0 to 10000000000 s. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

timeMidScanOffset (8-byte float, array size: nscan):

Offset from the secondary header packet time to the timeMidScan. Values range from 0 to 100 s. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

PRE (Group in HS)

elevation (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Elevation of the measurement point. It is a copy of DEMHmean of level 1B product. Values are in m. Special values are defined as:

landSurfaceType (4-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Land surface type.

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0 - 99 Ocean

100 - 199 Land

200 - 299 Coast

300 - 399 Inland water

-9999 Missing value
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localZenithAngle (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Local zenith angle of each ray. It is a copy of scLocalZenith of level 1B product. Values are in degree. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

flagPrecip (4-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Precipitation or no precipitation.

For L2 Ku and L2 Ka

0 No precipitation
1 Precipitation
-9999 Missing value

For L2 DPR

O No precipitation by both Ku and Ka Precipitation by Ka, no rain by Ku OPRECIPITATION BY Ku, no rain by Ka Precipitation by both Ku and Ka Precipitation by both Ku and Ka

flagSigmaZeroSaturation (1-byte char, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

A flag to show whether echoPower is under a saturated level or not at a range bin with a calculation of sigmaZeroMeasured. Values are:

0 : normal (under saturated level)

1 : possible saturated level at real surface

2 : saturated level at real surface

99 : missing

binRealSurface (2-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Range bin number for real surface. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

binStormTop (2-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Range bin number for the storm top. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

heightStormTop (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Height of storm top. Values are in m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

binClutterFreeBottom (2-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Range bin number for clutter free bottom. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

sigmaZeroMeasured (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Surface backscattering cross section without attenuation correction (as measured). Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

zFactorMeasured (4-byte float, array size: nbinHS x nrayHS x nscan):

Vertical profile of reflectivity factor without attenuation correction (as measured). Values are in dBZ. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

ellipsoidBinOffset (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Distance between the ellipsoid and a center range bin of binEllipsoid defined by level 1B algorithm.

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ellipsoidBinOffset =
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scRangeEllipsoid - { startBinRange + (binEllipsoid-1) x rangeBinSize}
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scRangeEllipsoid : Distance between a sensor and the ellipsoid [m]

startBinRange : Distance between a sensor and a center

of the highest observed range bin [m]

binEllipsoid: Range bin number of the Ellipsoid (1 - 260)

rangeBinSize : Range bin size [m]

-9999 Missing value snRatioAtRealSurface (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan): Signal/Noise ratio at real surface range bin. snRatioAtRealSurface = 10.*log10(echoPowertrueV[mW]/noisePowertrueV[mW]) -9999 Missing value adjustFactor (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan): Adjustment factor (dB) for zFactorMeasured (dBZm') and sigmaZeroMeasured (dBs0m'). dBZm' and dBs0m' are used and stored as follows: dBZm' = dBZm - adjustFactor dBs0m' = dBs0m - adjustFactor The adjustment factor is the sum of 3 components: base adjustment for instrument dependency, angle-bin adjustment for angle-bin dependency, and temporal adjustment for orbit number dependency. **snowIceCover** (1-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan): TBD. Special values are defined as: -99 Missing value

VER (Group in HS)

binZeroDeg (2-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

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Range bin number with 0 degrees C level.

For NS and MS swaths,
bin numbers are 1-based ranging
from 1 at the top of the data window
with 176 at the Ellipsoid.

For HS swaths,
bin numbers are 1-based ranging
from 1 at the top of the data window
with 88 at the Ellipsoid.

Special values are:
177: temperature at a surface is below 0 deg. C in Ku, KaMS, DPR(NS, MS).
89: temperature at a surface is below 0 deg. C in KaHS, DPR(HS).
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attenuationNP (4-byte float, array size: nbinHS x nrayHS x nscan):

Vertical profile of attenuation by non-precipitation particles (cloud liquid water, cloud ice water, water vapor, and oxygen molecules). Values are in dB/km. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

piaNP (4-byte float, array size: nNP x nrayHS x nscan):

Path integrated attenuation caused by non-precipitation particles (cloud liquid water, cloud ice water, water vapor, and oxygen molecules). Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

sigmaZeroNPCorrected (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Surface backscattering cross section with attenuation correction only for non-precipitation particles. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

heightZeroDeg (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Height of freezing level (0 degrees C level) Values are in m. Special values are defined as: -9999.9 Missing value

CSF (Group in HS)

flagBB (4-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Bright band (BB) exists or not. The definition is different for L2 DPR on the one hand and L2 Ku and L2 Ka on the other.

L2 DPR:

- 0 no Bright Band
- 1 Bright Band detected by Ku and DFRm
- 2 Bright Band detected by Ku only
- 3 Bright Band detected by DFRm only
- -1111 No rain value
- -9999 Missing value

L2 Ku and L2 Ka:

- O BB not detected
- 1 BB detected
- -1111 No rain value
- -9999 Missing value

binBBPeak (2-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Range bin number for the peak of bright band. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS

swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. A value of -1111 denotes no precipitation is present. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

binBBTop (2-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Range bin number for the top of bright band. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. A value of -1111 denotes no precipitation is present. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

binDFRmMLBottom (2-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Range bin number for melting layer bottom detected by the DFRm method.

Value Meaning

- >0 Range bin number when ML bottom is detected
- 0 ML bottom not detected
- -1111 Value for no rain in MS(HS) mode at Ka band
- -9999 Missing

binDFRmMLTop (2-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Range bin number for melting layer top detected by the DFRm method.

Value Meaning

- >0 Range bin number when ML top is detected
- 0 ML top not detected
- -1111 Value for no rain in MS(HS) mode at Ka band
- -9999 Missing

binBBBottom (2-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Range bin number for the bottom of bright band. For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. A value of -1111 denotes no precipitation is present. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

heightBB (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Height of bright band. A value of -1111.1 denotes no precipitation. Values are in m. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

widthBB (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

The width of bright band. A value of -1111.1 denotes no precipitation. Values are in m.

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Special values are defined as:
 -9999.9 Missing value
qualityBB (4-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):
Quality of the bright band.
When the bright band is detected,
a larger positive number indicates lower
confidence in the detection.
The Ku detection is clear, but
the Ka and DPR detection is
somewhat doubtful.
The meaning of qualityBB has not
been finalized.
3
       Smeared bright band
2
       Not so clear bright band
       Clear bright band
1
       BB not detected in the case of rain
-1111 No rain value
-9999 Missing value
typePrecip (4-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):
Precipitation type is expressed by an 8-digit number. The three major rain categories,
stratiform, onvective, and other, can be obtained as follows:
When typePrecip is greater than zero,
Major rain type = typePrecip/10000000
           stratiform
     = 1
     = 2
            convective
     = 3
            other
-1111 No rain value
-9999 Missing value
Let abcdefgh be the 8 digit number,
  abcdefgh
then
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a: Main rain type. (a=1,2,3),

b: 0,

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c: 0,
   d: V rain type,
   e: H rain type,
   f: BB,
   g: Shallow rain,
  h: Small size cell.
The following numbers appear as Ku and Ka (MS/HS) rain types:
   ---- stratiform
   1001H100
   10031000
   ---- convective
   2001H1xy (x>0 or y>0)
   2002Hbxy
   200310xy (x>0 or y>0)
   200320xy
   ---- other
   300330xy
where H is the rain type by H-method, and b depends on BB,
x on shallow rain and y on small size cell:
 H = 1: stratiform by H-method,
     2: convective by H-method,
     3: other by H-method.
 b = 0: BB not detected,
      1: BB detected.
 x = 0: No shallow rain,
      1: Shallow isolated,
     3: Shallow non-isolated.
 y = 0: No small size cell,
     1: Single cell,
     2: Small size cell consisting of two adjacent pixels.
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In the DPR product, rain type by the DFRm (measured dual frequency ratio) method is
also included in typePrecip and can be obtained as follows:
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DFRm rain type = (typePrecip%10000000)/1000000 in C
DFRm rain type = (MOD(typePrecip,10000000)/1000000 in FORTRAN
DFRm rain type
     = 1
         stratiform
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= 4
           transition
           DFRm method cannot be applicable (in this case
      the conventional method determines the major rain type)
-1111 No rain value
-9999 Missing value
If dual frequency data is not available
but Ku-only or Ka-olny is available,
rain type is expressed by the following 8 digit number:
  10xxxxxx --- stratiform,
  20xxxxxx --- convective,
  30xxxxxx --- other,
wihch is a copy of Ku-only module or Ka-only module.
If dual frequency data is available, rain type is
expressed by
  1qxxxxxx --- stratiform,
  2qxxxxxx --- convective,
  3qxxxxxx --- other,
where q>0.
Thus, by examining q, users can understand whether
data is processed by dual frequency algorithm or
single frequency algorithm.
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For MS and HS, DFRm method is used.
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DFRm decision classifies rain type into
   stratiform,
   convective,
and
   transition.
The DPR numbering rule can be summarized as follows:
Let opgrstuv be the 8 digit number, then
   o: Main rain type. (o=1,2,3),
   p: DFRm rain type. (p=0,1,2,4,9), with p=0 for single frequency data only),
   q: DFRm BB. (q=0,1),
   r: V rain type (by conventional V-method).
      Basically r=0 for inner swath and r>0 for outer swath.
      However, r>0 when only single frequency data is available,
   s: H rain type,
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= 2

convective

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t: = 0 for innner swath,
      1 when BB is detected in the outer swath.
  u: Shallow rain,
  v: Small size cell.
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DFRm type can be obtained by examining p
The meaning of p is as follows:
p = 0: single frequency data only (dual frequncy data not available),
    1: stratiform by DFRm method,
    2: convective by DFRm method,
    4: transition by DFRm method,
    9: DFRm decision not available.
Note that p>0 always in DPR processing, which is different
from Ku-only or Ka-only result.
In Ku-only or Ka-only rain type numbering, p=0 always.
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The following numbers appear as DPR rain types:
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*********
   For NS outer swath
*********
 --- stratiform
 1901H100
 19031000
 --- convective
 2901H1xy (x>0 or y>0, see R\_type\_classification\_dpr2)
 2902Hwxv
 290310xy (x>0, y>0, see R\_type\_classification\_dpr2)
 290320xv
 --- other
 390330xy
**********
* For NS inner swath and MS *
*********
 --- stratiform
 11B0H0xy
 14B01000
 19001000 --- H decision only
 19011000 --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
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or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
  19013000 --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type.
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
  19031000 --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type.
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
  --- convective
  2100H0xy (x>0 or y>0)
  2110H00y (y>0)
  2200H0xy
  2210H00y
  2400H0xy
  2410H00v
  290010xy --- H decision only (x>0 \text{ or } y>0)
  290020xy --- H decision only
  2901HOxy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
            (x>0 \text{ or } y>0 \text{ for } H=1,3)
  2902HOxy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
  290310xy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            (x>0 \text{ or } y>0)
  290320xy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
  --- other
  340030xv
  390030xy --- H decision only
  390330xy --- MS rain >0 but no NS rain; MS V and H determine rain type
            or NS rain >0 but no MS rain; NS V and H determine rain type
******
   For HS
******
  --- stratiform
  11B0H000
  14B01000
  19001000 --- H decision only
  --- convective
  21B0H0x0 (x>0)
  22B0H0x0
  240010x0 (x>0, 24B010x0 with B=0)
  240020x0
  241010x0 (x>0, 24B010x0 with B=1)
  290010x0 (x>0) --- H decision only
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290020x0 --- H decision only
   --- other
   340030x0
   390030x0 --- H decision only
 where w depends on BB by conventional V-method, B on BB
 by DFRm method, H on H-method, x on shallow rain
 and y on small size cell:
   w = 0: BB not detected by conventional V-method,
       1: BB detected by conventional V-methd.
   B = 0: BB not detected by DFRm method,
       1: BB detected by DFRm methd.
   H = 1: stratiform by H-method,
       2: convective by H-method,
       3: other by H-method.
   x = 0: No shallow rain,
       1: Shallow isolated,
       3: Shallow non-isolated.
   y = 0: No small size cell,
       1: Single cell,
       2: Small size cell consisting of two adjacent pixels.
 In the above, x>0 and y>0 are taken care of in the function
 R\t classification\d dpr2().
qualityTypePrecip (4-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):
Quality of the precipitation type.
       Good
-1111 No rain value
-9999 Missing value
flagShallowRain (4-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):
Type of shallow rain
       No shallow rain
10
       Shallow isolated (maybe)
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- 11 Shallow isolated (certain)
- 20 Shallow non-isolated (maybe)
- 21 Shallow non-isolated (certain)
- -1111 No rain value
- -9999 Missing value

flagHeavyIcePrecip (1-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

This flag denotes strong or severe precipitation accompanied by solid ice hydrometeors above the -10 degree C isotherm. Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

SRT (Group in HS)

PIAalt (4-byte float, array size: method x nrayHS x nscan):

The two-way path integrated attenuation (PIA) at from the each method estimate. The path-integrated attenuation from the jth method, where

PIAalt (j=1) = PIA_Ku from forward along-track spatial at kth angle bin

PIAalt (j=2) = PIA_Ku from backward along-track spatial at kth angle bin

PIAalt (j=3) = PIA_Ku from forward hybrid at kth angle bin

PIAalt (j=4) = PIA_Ku from backward hybrid at kth angle bin

 $PIAalt (j=5) = PIA_Ku \text{ from temporal reference at kth angle bin}$

PIAalt (j=6) = PIA_Ku from light-rain temporal reference at kth angle bin

Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

RFactorAlt (4-byte float, array size: method x nrayHS x nscan):

The reliability factors associated with the individual PIA estimates corresponding to PIAalt. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

PIAweight (4-byte float, array size: method x nrayHS x nscan):

The weights of the individual PIA_Ku estimates used in deriving the effective path attenuation estimate, pathAtten. The sum of the weights should equal one. Where j is method and sigma_j is the standard deviation of reference data for method j.

 $PIAweight_j = 1/sigma_j^2 * (1/Sum_j(1/sigma_j^2))$

Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

pathAtten (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

The effective 2-way path integrated attenuation. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

reliabFactor (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Reliability Factor for the effective PIA estimate, pathAtten. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

reliabFlag (2-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

The reliability flag for the effective PIA estimate (pathAtten) based on the reliability factor (Rel_eff) in reliabFactor. Reliability Flag is:

- = 1 if Rel_eff > 3; PIAeff estimate is considered reliable
- = 2 if $3 \ge \text{Rel_eff} > 1$; PIAeff estimate is considered marginally reliable
- = 3 if Rel_eff ≤ 1 ; PIAeff is unreliable
- = 4 if SNR_at surface < 2dB; provides a lower bound to the path-attenuation
- = 9 (no-rain case)

Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

refScanID (2-byte integer, array size: nearFar x foreBack x nrayHS x nscan):

The number of scan lines between the current scan and the beginning (or end) of the along-track reference data at each angle bin. The values are computed by the equation: Current Scan Number - Reference Scan Number. The values are positive for the Forward estimates and negative for the Backward estimates. The Fortran indices for nearFar foreBack are:

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1,1 - Forward - Near reference
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- 2,1 Forward Far reference
- 1,2 Backward Near reference
- 2,2 Backward Far reference

Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

DSD (Group in HS)

phase (1-byte char, array size: nbinHS x nrayHS x nscan):

Phase state of the precipitation. As an unsigned byte value this represents:

the peak and bottom of bright band

Integer values of phase/100 =

0 - solid

1 - mixed phase

2 - liquid

255 - Missing

binNode (2-byte integer, array size: nNode x nrayHS x nscan):

The bin number of the 5 nodes defined as:

0 - Bin number of storm top.

1 - Stratiform: 500m above center of bright band.

Convective: 750m above Odeg C level.

2 - Stratiform: center of bright band.

Convective: Odeg C level.

3 - Stratiform: 500m below center of bright band.

Convective: 750m below Odeg C level.

4 - Bin number of real surface equal to

binRealSurface in PRE group.

For NS and MS swaths,

bin numbers are 1-based ranging

from 1 at the top of the data window

with 176 at the Ellipsoid.

For HS swaths,

bin numbers are 1-based ranging

from 1 at the top of the data window

with 88 at the Ellipsoid.

-9999 - Missing

Experimental (Group in HS)

precipRateESurface2 (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Estimates Surface Precipitation using alternate method. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipRateESurface2Status (1-byte char, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Status of the estimated surface precipitation using alternate method. For information on

this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Special values are defined as: 255 Missing value

sigmaZeroProfile (4-byte float, array size: nbinSZPHS x nrayHS x nscan):

Surface backscattering cross section profile around the current ifov. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

binDEML2 (2-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Range bin number of the digital elevation model surface estimate. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

seaIceConcentration (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Sea ice concentration estimated by Ku. For information on this experimental field contact the Joint DPR Team. Values range from 30 to 100 percent. Special values are defined as: -9999.9 Missing value

SLV (Group in HS)

flagSLV (1-byte integer, array size: nbinHS x nrayHS x nscan):

Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

paramDSD (4-byte float, array size: nDSD x nbinHS x nrayHS x nscan):

Parameters of the drop size distribution. The first index is dBNw; the second index is Dm in mm. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

binEchoBottom (2-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

For NS and MS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 176 at the Ellipsoid. For HS swaths, bin numbers are 1-based ranging from 1 at the top of the data window with 88 at the Ellipsoid. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

piaFinal (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

The final estimates of path integrated attenuation caused by precipitation particles. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

sigmaZeroCorrected (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Surface backscatter cross section with attenuation correction. Values are in dB. Special values are defined as:

zFactorCorrected (4-byte float, array size: nbinHS x nrayHS x nscan):

Vertical profile of reflectivity factor with attenuation correction. Values are in dBZ. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

zFactorCorrectedESurface (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Reflectivity factor with attenuation correction at estimated surface. Values are in dBZ. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

zFactorCorrectedNearSurface (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Reflectivity factor with attenuation correction at near surface. Values are in dBZ. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

paramNUBF (4-byte float, array size: nNUBF x nrayHS x nscan):

TBD. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipRate (4-byte float, array size: nbinHS x nrayHS x nscan):

Precipitation rate. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipWaterIntegrated (4-byte float, array size: LS x nrayHS x nscan):

Precipitation water vertically integrated. Values are in g/m^2 . Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

qualitySLV (4-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

A flag to show methods in which precipRateNearSurface is retrieved. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

precipRateNearSurface (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Precipitation rate for the near surface. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipRateESurface (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Precipitation rate for the estimated surface. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

precipRateAve24 (4-byte float, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Average of precipitation rate for 2 to 4km height. Values are in mm/hr. Special values are defined as:

-9999.9 Missing value

phaseNearSurface (1-byte char, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Phase state of the precipitation at the Near-surface level. This is a copy of the phase in

the DSD group at the Near-surface level. As an unsigned byte value this represents:

Integer values of phaseNearSurface/100 =

- 0 solid
- 1 mixed phase
- 2 liquid
- 255 Missing

epsilon (4-byte float, array size: nbinHS x nrayHS x nscan): Epsilon is the indication of the adjustment away from the initial drop size distribution, epsilon = 1 is no adjustment. Special values are defined as:
-9999.9 Missing value

FLG (Group in HS)

flagEcho (1-byte integer, array size: nbinHS x nrayHS x nscan):

Flag of precipitation and main/side lobe clutter information of each range bin.

```
Bit Meaning
     For L2 Ku: Precipitation judged by L2 Ku algorithm (copy of bit 2)
     For L2 Ka:
                Precipitation judged by L2 Ka algorithm (copy of bit 3)
0
     For L2 DPR: Precipitation judged by L2 DPR algorithm (copy of bit 1)
1
     Precipitation judged by L2 DPR algorithm
    Precipitation judged by L2 Ku algorithm
3
    Precipitation judged by L2 Ka algorithm
4
    Main lobe clutter judged by L2 Ku algorithm
5
     Main lobe clutter judged by L2 Ka algorithm
     Side lobe clutter judged by L2 Ku algorithm
7
     Side lobe clutter judged by L2 Ka algorithm
```

qualityData (4-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Normal data gives "0". Non-zero values mean the kinds of errors. Special values are defined as:

-9999 Missing value

Flag of quality data. Bit range from 8 to 23 contains flags by each module. Each module flag has 2 bits of information.

The 2 bit flag for each module has values:

[higher bit lower bit]

- [0 0] Good
- [0 1] Warning but usable
- [1 0] NG or error

The bits of qualityData are assigned as follows:

- Bit Meaning
- 0 7 Copy of dataQuality in level 1B product
- 8 9 Flag by input module
- 10 11 Flag by preparation module
- 12 13 Flag by vertical module
- 14 15 Flag by classification module
- 16 17 Flag by SRT module
- 18 19 Flag by DSD module
- 20 21 Flag by solver module
- 22 23 Flag by output module
- 24 31 Spare

qualityFlag (1-byte integer, array size: nrayHS x nscan):

Flag derived from qualityData with the following values: Special values are defined as:

-99 Missing value

Value Meaning

- O High quality. No issues.
- 1 Low quality (DPR modules had warnings but still made a retrieval)
- 2 Bad (DPR modules had errors or dataQuality is bad and retrieval is missing)

flagSensor (1-byte integer, array size: nscan):

Flag of input Ku/Ka data condition.

```
Value Meaning

1 Valid

-99 Invalid (judged by dataQuality)
```

C Structure Header file:

```
#ifndef _TK_2ADPR_H_
#define _TK_2ADPR_H_
#ifndef _L2ADPR_HS_FLG_
#define _L2ADPR_HS_FLG_
typedef struct {
    signed char flagEcho[24][88];
    int qualityData[24];
    signed char qualityFlag[24];
    signed char flagSensor;
} L2ADPR_HS_FLG;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_HS_SLV_
#define _L2ADPR_HS_SLV_
typedef struct {
    signed char flagSLV[24][88];
    float paramDSD[24][88][2];
    short binEchoBottom[24];
    float piaFinal[24];
    float sigmaZeroCorrected[24];
    float zFactorCorrected[24][88];
    float zFactorCorrectedESurface[24];
    float zFactorCorrectedNearSurface[24];
    float paramNUBF[24][3];
    float precipRate[24][88];
    float precipWaterIntegrated[24][2];
    int qualitySLV[24];
    float precipRateNearSurface[24];
    float precipRateESurface[24];
    float precipRateAve24[24];
    unsigned char phaseNearSurface[24];
    float epsilon[24][88];
} L2ADPR_HS_SLV;
```

```
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_HS_EXPERIMENTAL_
#define _L2ADPR_HS_EXPERIMENTAL_
typedef struct {
    float precipRateESurface2[24];
    unsigned char precipRateESurface2Status[24];
    float sigmaZeroProfile[24][5];
    short binDEML2[24];
    float seaIceConcentration[24];
} L2ADPR_HS_EXPERIMENTAL;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_HS_DSD_
#define _L2ADPR_HS_DSD_
typedef struct {
    unsigned char phase [24] [88];
    short binNode[24][5];
} L2ADPR_HS_DSD;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_HS_SRT_
#define _L2ADPR_HS_SRT_
typedef struct {
    float PIAalt[24][6];
    float RFactorAlt[24][6];
    float PIAweight[24][6];
    float pathAtten[24];
    float reliabFactor[24];
    short reliabFlag[24];
    short refScanID[24][2][2];
} L2ADPR_HS_SRT;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_HS_CSF_
#define _L2ADPR_HS_CSF_
```

```
typedef struct {
    int flagBB[24];
    short binBBPeak[24];
    short binBBTop[24];
    short binDFRmMLBottom[24];
    short binDFRmMLTop[24];
    short binBBBottom[24];
    float heightBB[24];
    float widthBB[24];
    int qualityBB[24];
    int typePrecip[24];
    int qualityTypePrecip[24];
    int flagShallowRain[24];
    signed char flagHeavyIcePrecip[24];
} L2ADPR_HS_CSF;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_HS_VER_
#define _L2ADPR_HS_VER_
typedef struct {
    short binZeroDeg[24];
    float attenuationNP[24][88];
    float piaNP[24][4];
    float sigmaZeroNPCorrected[24];
    float heightZeroDeg[24];
} L2ADPR_HS_VER;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_HS_PRE_
#define _L2ADPR_HS_PRE_
typedef struct {
    float elevation[24];
    int landSurfaceType[24];
    float localZenithAngle[24];
    int flagPrecip[24];
    unsigned char flagSigmaZeroSaturation[24];
    short binRealSurface[24];
    short binStormTop[24];
```

```
float heightStormTop[24];
    short binClutterFreeBottom[24];
    float sigmaZeroMeasured[24];
    float zFactorMeasured[24][88];
    float ellipsoidBinOffset[24];
    float snRatioAtRealSurface[24];
    float adjustFactor[24];
    signed char snowIceCover[24];
} L2ADPR_HS_PRE;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_HS_SCANSTATUS_
#define _L2ADPR_HS_SCANSTATUS_
typedef struct {
    signed char dataQuality;
    signed char dataWarning;
    signed char missing;
    signed char modeStatus;
    short geoError;
    short geoWarning;
    short SCorientation;
    short pointingStatus;
    signed char acsModeMidScan;
    signed char targetSelectionMidScan;
    signed char operationalMode;
    signed char limitErrorFlag;
    double FractionalGranuleNumber;
} L2ADPR_HS_SCANSTATUS;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_HS_
#define _L2ADPR_HS_
typedef struct {
    SCANTIME ScanTime;
    float Latitude [24];
    float Longitude[24];
    L2ADPR_HS_SCANSTATUS scanStatus;
    NAVIGATION navigation;
    L2ADPR_HS_PRE PRE;
```

```
L2ADPR_HS_VER VER;
    L2ADPR_HS_CSF CSF;
    L2ADPR_HS_SRT SRT;
    L2ADPR_HS_DSD DSD;
    L2ADPR_HS_EXPERIMENTAL Experimental;
    L2ADPR_HS_SLV SLV;
    L2ADPR_HS_FLG FLG;
} L2ADPR_HS;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_MS_TRG_
#define _L2ADPR_MS_TRG_
typedef struct {
    unsigned char NUBFindex[25];
    unsigned char MSindexKu[25];
    unsigned char MSindexKa[25];
    unsigned char precipFrac[25][3];
    float RNUBFcond[25];
    unsigned char MSsurfPeakIndexKu[25];
    unsigned char MSsurfPeakIndexKa[25];
    unsigned char MSthroughsurfIndexKu[25];
    unsigned char MSthroughsurfIndexKa[25];
    unsigned char MSkneeDFRindex[25];
    unsigned char MSthrZindex[25];
    unsigned char NUBFratioPIAindex[25];
    unsigned char NUBFnZmVarIndex[25][3];
    unsigned char NUBFnZkVarIndex[25][3];
    short NUBFnZmVarScaling[25];
    short NUBFnZkVarScaling[25];
    float NUBFsurfSliceIndex[25][30];
    float NUBFprofZPC[25][30];
    short MSbreakpoints[25][13];
    float MSslopes[25][10];
    float MSslopePoints[25][13];
    float MSslopeFits[25][6];
    unsigned char MSlowSNRrangeFilter[25][4];
    float NUBFcorrPIA[25][2];
    float triggerParameters[25][8];
} L2ADPR_MS_TRG;
```

#endif

```
#ifndef _L2ADPR_MS_FLG_
#define _L2ADPR_MS_FLG_
typedef struct {
    signed char flagEcho[25][176];
    int qualityData[25];
    signed char qualityFlag[25];
    signed char flagSensor;
} L2ADPR_MS_FLG;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_MS_SLV_
#define _L2ADPR_MS_SLV_
typedef struct {
    short binEchoBottom[25];
    float piaFinal[25];
    float sigmaZeroCorrected[25];
    float zFactorCorrected[25][176];
    float zFactorCorrectedESurface[25];
    float zFactorCorrectedNearSurface[25];
    float paramNUBF[25][3];
    float precipWaterIntegrated[25][2];
    float precipRateNearSurface[25];
    float precipRateESurface[25];
    float precipRateAve24[25];
    unsigned char phaseNearSurface[25];
    float epsilon[25][176];
} L2ADPR_MS_SLV;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_MS_EXPERIMENTAL_
#define _L2ADPR_MS_EXPERIMENTAL_
typedef struct {
    float precipRateESurface2[25];
    unsigned char precipRateESurface2Status[25];
    float sigmaZeroProfile[25][7];
    short binDEML2[25];
    float seaIceConcentration[25];
```

```
unsigned char flagSurfaceSnowfall[25];
    float surfaceSnowfallIndex[25];
} L2ADPR_MS_EXPERIMENTAL;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_MS_DSD_
#define _L2ADPR_MS_DSD_
typedef struct {
    short binNode[25][5];
} L2ADPR_MS_DSD;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_MS_SRT_
#define _L2ADPR_MS_SRT_
typedef struct {
    float PIAalt[25][6];
    float RFactorAlt[25][6];
    float PIAweight[25][6];
    float pathAtten[25];
    float reliabFactor[25];
    short reliabFlag[25];
    short refScanID[25][2][2];
} L2ADPR_MS_SRT;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_MS_CSF_
#define _L2ADPR_MS_CSF_
typedef struct {
    int flagBB[25];
    short binBBPeak[25];
    short binBBTop[25];
    short binDFRmMLBottom[25];
    short binDFRmMLTop[25];
    short binBBBottom[25];
    float heightBB[25];
    float widthBB[25];
    int qualityBB[25];
```

```
int typePrecip[25];
    int qualityTypePrecip[25];
    int flagShallowRain[25];
    signed char flagHeavyIcePrecip[25];
} L2ADPR_MS_CSF;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_MS_VER_
#define _L2ADPR_MS_VER_
typedef struct {
    short binZeroDeg[25];
    float attenuationNP[25][176];
    float piaNP[25][4];
    float sigmaZeroNPCorrected[25];
    float heightZeroDeg[25];
} L2ADPR_MS_VER;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_MS_PRE_
#define _L2ADPR_MS_PRE_
typedef struct {
    float elevation[25];
    int landSurfaceType[25];
    float localZenithAngle[25];
    int flagPrecip[25];
    unsigned char flagSigmaZeroSaturation[25];
    short binRealSurface[25];
    short binStormTop[25];
    float heightStormTop[25];
    short binClutterFreeBottom[25];
    float sigmaZeroMeasured[25];
    float zFactorMeasured[25][176];
    float ellipsoidBinOffset[25];
    float snRatioAtRealSurface[25];
    float adjustFactor[25];
    signed char snowIceCover[25];
} L2ADPR_MS_PRE;
#endif
```

```
#ifndef _L2ADPR_MS_SCANSTATUS_
#define _L2ADPR_MS_SCANSTATUS_
typedef struct {
    signed char dataQuality;
    signed char dataWarning;
    signed char missing;
    signed char modeStatus;
    short geoError;
    short geoWarning;
    short SCorientation;
    short pointingStatus;
    signed char acsModeMidScan;
    signed char targetSelectionMidScan;
    signed char operationalMode;
    signed char limitErrorFlag;
    double FractionalGranuleNumber;
} L2ADPR_MS_SCANSTATUS;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_MS_
#define _L2ADPR_MS_
typedef struct {
    SCANTIME ScanTime;
    float Latitude [25];
    float Longitude[25];
    L2ADPR_MS_SCANSTATUS scanStatus;
    NAVIGATION navigation;
    L2ADPR_MS_PRE PRE;
    L2ADPR_MS_VER VER;
    L2ADPR_MS_CSF CSF;
    L2ADPR_MS_SRT SRT;
    L2ADPR_MS_DSD DSD;
    L2ADPR_MS_EXPERIMENTAL Experimental;
    L2ADPR_MS_SLV SLV;
    L2ADPR_MS_FLG FLG;
    L2ADPR_MS_TRG TRG;
} L2ADPR_MS;
#endif
```

```
#ifndef _L2ADPR_NS_FLG_
#define _L2ADPR_NS_FLG_
typedef struct {
    signed char flagEcho[49][176];
    int qualityData[49];
    signed char qualityFlag[49];
    signed char flagSensor;
} L2ADPR_NS_FLG;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_NS_SLV_
#define _L2ADPR_NS_SLV_
typedef struct {
    signed char flagSLV[49][176];
    float paramDSD[49][176][2];
    short binEchoBottom[49];
    float piaFinal[49];
    float sigmaZeroCorrected[49];
    float zFactorCorrected[49][176];
    float zFactorCorrectedESurface[49];
    float zFactorCorrectedNearSurface[49];
    float paramNUBF[49][3];
    float precipRate[49][176];
    float precipWaterIntegrated[49][2];
    int qualitySLV[49];
    float precipRateNearSurface[49];
    float precipRateESurface[49];
    float precipRateAve24[49];
    unsigned char phaseNearSurface[49];
    float epsilon[49][176];
} L2ADPR_NS_SLV;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_NS_EXPERIMENTAL_
#define _L2ADPR_NS_EXPERIMENTAL_
typedef struct {
    float precipRateESurface2[49];
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unsigned char precipRateESurface2Status[49];
    float sigmaZeroProfile[49][7];
    short binDEML2[49];
    float seaIceConcentration[49];
} L2ADPR_NS_EXPERIMENTAL;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_NS_DSD_
#define _L2ADPR_NS_DSD_
typedef struct {
    unsigned char phase [49] [176];
    short binNode[49][5];
} L2ADPR_NS_DSD;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_NS_SRT_
#define _L2ADPR_NS_SRT_
typedef struct {
    float PIAalt[49][6];
    float RFactorAlt[49][6];
    float PIAweight[49][6];
    float pathAtten[49];
    float reliabFactor[49];
    short reliabFlag[49];
    short refScanID[49][2][2];
} L2ADPR_NS_SRT;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_NS_CSF_
#define _L2ADPR_NS_CSF_
typedef struct {
    int flagBB[49];
    short binBBPeak[49];
    short binBBTop[49];
    short binBBBottom[49];
    float heightBB[49];
    float widthBB[49];
```

```
int qualityBB[49];
    int typePrecip[49];
    int qualityTypePrecip[49];
    int flagShallowRain[49];
    signed char flagHeavyIcePrecip[49];
    signed char flagAnvil[49];
} L2ADPR_NS_CSF;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_NS_VER_
#define _L2ADPR_NS_VER_
typedef struct {
    short binZeroDeg[49];
    float attenuationNP[49][176];
    float piaNP[49][4];
    float sigmaZeroNPCorrected[49];
    float heightZeroDeg[49];
} L2ADPR_NS_VER;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_NS_PRE_
#define _L2ADPR_NS_PRE_
typedef struct {
    float elevation[49];
    int landSurfaceType[49];
    float localZenithAngle[49];
    int flagPrecip[49];
    unsigned char flagSigmaZeroSaturation[49];
    short binRealSurface[49];
    short binStormTop[49];
    float heightStormTop[49];
    short binClutterFreeBottom[49];
    float sigmaZeroMeasured[49];
    float zFactorMeasured[49][176];
    float ellipsoidBinOffset[49];
    float snRatioAtRealSurface[49];
    float adjustFactor[49];
    signed char snowIceCover[49];
} L2ADPR_NS_PRE;
```

#endif #ifndef _NAVIGATION_ #define _NAVIGATION_ typedef struct { float scPos[3]; float scVel[3]; float scLat; float scLon; float scAlt; float dprAlt; float scAttRollGeoc; float scAttPitchGeoc; float scAttYawGeoc; float scAttRollGeod; float scAttPitchGeod; float scAttYawGeod; float greenHourAng; double timeMidScan; double timeMidScanOffset; } NAVIGATION; #endif #ifndef _L2ADPR_NS_SCANSTATUS_ #define _L2ADPR_NS_SCANSTATUS_ typedef struct { signed char dataQuality; signed char dataWarning; signed char missing; signed char modeStatus; short geoError; short geoWarning; short SCorientation; short pointingStatus; signed char acsModeMidScan; signed char targetSelectionMidScan; signed char operationalMode; signed char limitErrorFlag;

double FractionalGranuleNumber;

```
} L2ADPR_NS_SCANSTATUS;
#endif
#ifndef _SCANTIME_
#define _SCANTIME_
typedef struct {
    short Year;
    signed char Month;
    signed char DayOfMonth;
    signed char Hour;
    signed char Minute;
    signed char Second;
    short MilliSecond;
    short DayOfYear;
    double SecondOfDay;
} SCANTIME;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_NS_
#define _L2ADPR_NS_
typedef struct {
    SCANTIME ScanTime;
    float Latitude[49];
    float Longitude [49];
    L2ADPR_NS_SCANSTATUS scanStatus;
    NAVIGATION navigation;
    L2ADPR_NS_PRE PRE;
    L2ADPR_NS_VER VER;
    L2ADPR_NS_CSF CSF;
    L2ADPR_NS_SRT SRT;
    L2ADPR_NS_DSD DSD;
    L2ADPR_NS_EXPERIMENTAL Experimental;
    L2ADPR_NS_SLV SLV;
    L2ADPR_NS_FLG FLG;
} L2ADPR_NS;
#endif
#ifndef _L2ADPR_SWATHS_
```

```
#define _L2ADPR_SWATHS_
typedef struct {
    L2ADPR_NS NS;
    L2ADPR_MS MS;
    L2ADPR_HS HS;
} L2ADPR_SWATHS;
#endif
#endif
Fortran Structure Header file:
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_HS_FLG/
    BYTE flagEcho(88,24)
    INTEGER*4 qualityData(24)
    BYTE qualityFlag(24)
    BYTE flagSensor
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_HS_SLV/
    BYTE flagSLV(88,24)
    REAL*4 paramDSD(2,88,24)
    INTEGER*2 binEchoBottom(24)
    REAL*4 piaFinal(24)
    REAL*4 sigmaZeroCorrected(24)
    REAL*4 zFactorCorrected(88,24)
    REAL*4 zFactorCorrectedESurface(24)
    REAL*4 zFactorCorrectedNearSurface(24)
    REAL*4 paramNUBF(3,24)
    REAL*4 precipRate(88,24)
    REAL*4 precipWaterIntegrated(2,24)
    INTEGER*4 qualitySLV(24)
    REAL*4 precipRateNearSurface(24)
    REAL*4 precipRateESurface(24)
    REAL*4 precipRateAve24(24)
    CHARACTER phaseNearSurface(24)
    REAL*4 epsilon(88,24)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_HS_EXPERIMENTAL/
    REAL*4 precipRateESurface2(24)
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CHARACTER precipRateESurface2Status(24) REAL*4 sigmaZeroProfile(5,24) INTEGER*2 binDEML2(24) REAL*4 seaIceConcentration(24) END STRUCTURE STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_HS_DSD/ CHARACTER phase (88,24) INTEGER*2 binNode(5,24) END STRUCTURE STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_HS_SRT/ REAL*4 PIAalt(6,24) REAL*4 RFactorAlt(6,24) REAL*4 PIAweight(6,24) REAL*4 pathAtten(24) REAL*4 reliabFactor(24) INTEGER*2 reliabFlag(24) INTEGER*2 refScanID(2,2,24) END STRUCTURE STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_HS_CSF/ INTEGER*4 flagBB(24) INTEGER*2 binBBPeak(24) INTEGER*2 binBBTop(24) INTEGER*2 binDFRmMLBottom(24) INTEGER*2 binDFRmMLTop(24) INTEGER*2 binBBBottom(24) REAL*4 heightBB(24) REAL*4 widthBB(24) INTEGER*4 qualityBB(24) INTEGER*4 typePrecip(24) INTEGER*4 qualityTypePrecip(24) INTEGER*4 flagShallowRain(24) BYTE flagHeavyIcePrecip(24) END STRUCTURE STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_HS_VER/ INTEGER*2 binZeroDeg(24) REAL*4 attenuationNP(88,24) REAL*4 piaNP(4,24)REAL*4 sigmaZeroNPCorrected(24) REAL*4 heightZeroDeg(24)

END STRUCTURE

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STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_HS_PRE/
    REAL*4 elevation(24)
    INTEGER*4 landSurfaceType(24)
    REAL*4 localZenithAngle(24)
    INTEGER*4 flagPrecip(24)
    CHARACTER flagSigmaZeroSaturation(24)
    INTEGER*2 binRealSurface(24)
    INTEGER*2 binStormTop(24)
    REAL*4 heightStormTop(24)
    INTEGER*2 binClutterFreeBottom(24)
    REAL*4 sigmaZeroMeasured(24)
    REAL*4 zFactorMeasured(88,24)
    REAL*4 ellipsoidBinOffset(24)
    REAL*4 snRatioAtRealSurface(24)
    REAL*4 adjustFactor(24)
    BYTE snowIceCover(24)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_HS_SCANSTATUS/
    BYTE dataQuality
    BYTE dataWarning
    BYTE missing
    BYTE modeStatus
    INTEGER*2 geoError
    INTEGER*2 geoWarning
    INTEGER*2 SCorientation
    INTEGER*2 pointingStatus
    BYTE acsModeMidScan
    BYTE targetSelectionMidScan
    BYTE operationalMode
    BYTE limitErrorFlag
    REAL*8 FractionalGranuleNumber
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_HS/
    RECORD /SCANTIME/ ScanTime
    REAL*4 Latitude(24)
    REAL*4 Longitude(24)
    RECORD /L2ADPR_HS_SCANSTATUS/ scanStatus
    RECORD /NAVIGATION/ navigation
    RECORD /L2ADPR_HS_PRE/ PRE
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RECORD /L2ADPR_HS_VER/ VER
    RECORD /L2ADPR_HS_CSF/ CSF
    RECORD /L2ADPR_HS_SRT/ SRT
    RECORD /L2ADPR_HS_DSD/ DSD
    RECORD /L2ADPR_HS_EXPERIMENTAL/ Experimental
    RECORD /L2ADPR_HS_SLV/ SLV
    RECORD /L2ADPR_HS_FLG/ FLG
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_MS_TRG/
    CHARACTER NUBFindex (25)
    CHARACTER MSindexKu(25)
    CHARACTER MSindexKa(25)
    CHARACTER precipFrac(3,25)
    REAL*4 RNUBFcond(25)
    CHARACTER MSsurfPeakIndexKu(25)
    CHARACTER MSsurfPeakIndexKa(25)
    CHARACTER MSthroughsurfIndexKu(25)
    CHARACTER MSthroughsurfIndexKa(25)
    CHARACTER MSkneeDFRindex(25)
    CHARACTER MSthrZindex(25)
    CHARACTER NUBFratioPIAindex(25)
    CHARACTER NUBFnZmVarIndex(3,25)
    CHARACTER NUBFnZkVarIndex(3,25)
    INTEGER*2 NUBFnZmVarScaling(25)
    INTEGER*2 NUBFnZkVarScaling(25)
    REAL*4 NUBFsurfSliceIndex(30,25)
    REAL*4 NUBFprofZPC(30,25)
    INTEGER*2 MSbreakpoints(13,25)
    REAL*4 MSslopes(10,25)
    REAL*4 MSslopePoints(13,25)
    REAL*4 MSslopeFits(6,25)
    CHARACTER MSlowSNRrangeFilter(4,25)
    REAL*4 NUBFcorrPIA(2,25)
    REAL*4 triggerParameters(8,25)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_MS_FLG/
    BYTE flagEcho(176,25)
    INTEGER*4 qualityData(25)
    BYTE qualityFlag(25)
    BYTE flagSensor
END STRUCTURE
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STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_MS_SLV/
    INTEGER*2 binEchoBottom(25)
    REAL*4 piaFinal(25)
    REAL*4 sigmaZeroCorrected(25)
    REAL*4 zFactorCorrected(176,25)
    REAL*4 zFactorCorrectedESurface(25)
    REAL*4 zFactorCorrectedNearSurface(25)
    REAL*4 paramNUBF(3,25)
    REAL*4 precipWaterIntegrated(2,25)
    REAL*4 precipRateNearSurface(25)
    REAL*4 precipRateESurface(25)
    REAL*4 precipRateAve24(25)
    CHARACTER phaseNearSurface(25)
    REAL*4 epsilon(176,25)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_MS_EXPERIMENTAL/
    REAL*4 precipRateESurface2(25)
    CHARACTER precipRateESurface2Status(25)
    REAL*4 sigmaZeroProfile(7,25)
    INTEGER*2 binDEML2(25)
    REAL*4 seaIceConcentration(25)
    CHARACTER flagSurfaceSnowfall(25)
    REAL*4 surfaceSnowfallIndex(25)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_MS_DSD/
    INTEGER*2 binNode(5,25)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_MS_SRT/
    REAL*4 PIAalt(6,25)
    REAL*4 RFactorAlt(6,25)
    REAL*4 PIAweight(6,25)
    REAL*4 pathAtten(25)
    REAL*4 reliabFactor(25)
    INTEGER*2 reliabFlag(25)
    INTEGER*2 refScanID(2,2,25)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_MS_CSF/
    INTEGER*4 flagBB(25)
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INTEGER*2 binBBPeak(25)
    INTEGER*2 binBBTop(25)
    INTEGER*2 binDFRmMLBottom(25)
    INTEGER*2 binDFRmMLTop(25)
    INTEGER*2 binBBBottom(25)
    REAL*4 heightBB(25)
    REAL*4 widthBB(25)
    INTEGER*4 qualityBB(25)
    INTEGER*4 typePrecip(25)
    INTEGER*4 qualityTypePrecip(25)
    INTEGER*4 flagShallowRain(25)
    BYTE flagHeavyIcePrecip(25)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_MS_VER/
    INTEGER*2 binZeroDeg(25)
    REAL*4 attenuationNP(176,25)
    REAL*4 piaNP(4,25)
    REAL*4 sigmaZeroNPCorrected(25)
    REAL*4 heightZeroDeg(25)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_MS_PRE/
    REAL*4 elevation(25)
    INTEGER*4 landSurfaceType(25)
    REAL*4 localZenithAngle(25)
    INTEGER*4 flagPrecip(25)
    CHARACTER flagSigmaZeroSaturation(25)
    INTEGER*2 binRealSurface(25)
    INTEGER*2 binStormTop(25)
    REAL*4 heightStormTop(25)
    INTEGER*2 binClutterFreeBottom(25)
    REAL*4 sigmaZeroMeasured(25)
    REAL*4 zFactorMeasured(176,25)
    REAL*4 ellipsoidBinOffset(25)
    REAL*4 snRatioAtRealSurface(25)
    REAL*4 adjustFactor(25)
    BYTE snowIceCover(25)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_MS_SCANSTATUS/
    BYTE dataQuality
    BYTE dataWarning
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BYTE missing
    BYTE modeStatus
    INTEGER*2 geoError
    INTEGER*2 geoWarning
    INTEGER*2 SCorientation
    INTEGER*2 pointingStatus
    BYTE acsModeMidScan
    BYTE targetSelectionMidScan
    BYTE operationalMode
    BYTE limitErrorFlag
    REAL*8 FractionalGranuleNumber
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_MS/
    RECORD /SCANTIME/ ScanTime
    REAL*4 Latitude(25)
    REAL*4 Longitude(25)
    RECORD /L2ADPR_MS_SCANSTATUS/ scanStatus
    RECORD /NAVIGATION/ navigation
    RECORD /L2ADPR_MS_PRE/ PRE
    RECORD /L2ADPR_MS_VER/ VER
    RECORD /L2ADPR_MS_CSF/ CSF
    RECORD /L2ADPR_MS_SRT/ SRT
    RECORD /L2ADPR_MS_DSD/ DSD
    RECORD /L2ADPR_MS_EXPERIMENTAL/ Experimental
    RECORD /L2ADPR_MS_SLV/ SLV
    RECORD /L2ADPR_MS_FLG/ FLG
    RECORD /L2ADPR_MS_TRG/ TRG
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_NS_FLG/
    BYTE flagEcho(176,49)
    INTEGER*4 qualityData(49)
    BYTE qualityFlag(49)
    BYTE flagSensor
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_NS_SLV/
    BYTE flagSLV(176,49)
    REAL*4 paramDSD(2,176,49)
    INTEGER*2 binEchoBottom(49)
    REAL*4 piaFinal(49)
    REAL*4 sigmaZeroCorrected(49)
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REAL*4 zFactorCorrected(176,49)
    REAL*4 zFactorCorrectedESurface(49)
    REAL*4 zFactorCorrectedNearSurface(49)
    REAL*4 paramNUBF(3,49)
    REAL*4 precipRate(176,49)
    REAL*4 precipWaterIntegrated(2,49)
    INTEGER*4 qualitySLV(49)
    REAL*4 precipRateNearSurface(49)
    REAL*4 precipRateESurface(49)
    REAL*4 precipRateAve24(49)
    CHARACTER phaseNearSurface(49)
    REAL*4 epsilon(176,49)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_NS_EXPERIMENTAL/
    REAL*4 precipRateESurface2(49)
    CHARACTER precipRateESurface2Status(49)
    REAL*4 sigmaZeroProfile(7,49)
    INTEGER*2 binDEML2(49)
    REAL*4 seaIceConcentration(49)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_NS_DSD/
    CHARACTER phase (176,49)
    INTEGER*2 binNode(5,49)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_NS_SRT/
    REAL*4 PIAalt(6,49)
    REAL*4 RFactorAlt(6,49)
    REAL*4 PIAweight(6,49)
    REAL*4 pathAtten(49)
    REAL*4 reliabFactor(49)
    INTEGER*2 reliabFlag(49)
    INTEGER*2 refScanID(2,2,49)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_NS_CSF/
    INTEGER*4 flagBB(49)
    INTEGER*2 binBBPeak(49)
    INTEGER*2 binBBTop(49)
    INTEGER*2 binBBBottom(49)
    REAL*4 heightBB(49)
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REAL*4 widthBB(49)
    INTEGER*4 qualityBB(49)
    INTEGER*4 typePrecip(49)
    INTEGER*4 qualityTypePrecip(49)
    INTEGER*4 flagShallowRain(49)
    BYTE flagHeavyIcePrecip(49)
    BYTE flagAnvil(49)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_NS_VER/
    INTEGER*2 binZeroDeg(49)
    REAL*4 attenuationNP(176,49)
    REAL*4 piaNP(4,49)
    REAL*4 sigmaZeroNPCorrected(49)
    REAL*4 heightZeroDeg(49)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_NS_PRE/
    REAL*4 elevation(49)
    INTEGER*4 landSurfaceType(49)
    REAL*4 localZenithAngle(49)
    INTEGER*4 flagPrecip(49)
    CHARACTER flagSigmaZeroSaturation(49)
    INTEGER*2 binRealSurface(49)
    INTEGER*2 binStormTop(49)
    REAL*4 heightStormTop(49)
    INTEGER*2 binClutterFreeBottom(49)
    REAL*4 sigmaZeroMeasured(49)
    REAL*4 zFactorMeasured(176,49)
    REAL*4 ellipsoidBinOffset(49)
    REAL*4 snRatioAtRealSurface(49)
    REAL*4 adjustFactor(49)
    BYTE snowIceCover (49)
END STRUCTURE
STRUCTURE /NAVIGATION/
    REAL*4 scPos(3)
    REAL*4 scVel(3)
    REAL*4 scLat
    REAL*4 scLon
    REAL*4 scAlt
    REAL*4 dprAlt
    REAL*4 scAttRollGeoc
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REAL*4 scAttPitchGeoc

REAL*4 scAttYawGeoc

REAL*4 scAttRollGeod

REAL*4 scAttPitchGeod

REAL*4 scAttYawGeod

REAL*4 greenHourAng

REAL*8 timeMidScan

REAL*8 timeMidScanOffset

END STRUCTURE

STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_NS_SCANSTATUS/

BYTE dataQuality

BYTE dataWarning

BYTE missing

BYTE modeStatus

INTEGER*2 geoError

INTEGER*2 geoWarning

INTEGER*2 SCorientation

INTEGER*2 pointingStatus

BYTE acsModeMidScan

BYTE targetSelectionMidScan

BYTE operationalMode

BYTE limitErrorFlag

REAL*8 FractionalGranuleNumber

END STRUCTURE

STRUCTURE /SCANTIME/

INTEGER*2 Year

BYTE Month

BYTE DayOfMonth

BYTE Hour

BYTE Minute

BYTE Second

INTEGER*2 MilliSecond

INTEGER*2 DayOfYear

REAL*8 SecondOfDay

END STRUCTURE

STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_NS/

RECORD /SCANTIME/ ScanTime

REAL*4 Latitude(49)

REAL*4 Longitude(49)

RECORD /L2ADPR_NS_SCANSTATUS/ scanStatus

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RECORD /NAVIGATION/ navigation
RECORD /L2ADPR_NS_PRE/ PRE
RECORD /L2ADPR_NS_VER/ VER
RECORD /L2ADPR_NS_CSF/ CSF
RECORD /L2ADPR_NS_SRT/ SRT
RECORD /L2ADPR_NS_DSD/ DSD
RECORD /L2ADPR_NS_EXPERIMENTAL/ Experimental
RECORD /L2ADPR_NS_SLV/ SLV
RECORD /L2ADPR_NS_FLG/ FLG
END STRUCTURE

STRUCTURE /L2ADPR_SWATHS/
RECORD /L2ADPR_NS/ NS;
RECORD /L2ADPR_MS/ MS;
RECORD /L2ADPR_MS/ MS;
RECORD /L2ADPR_HS/ HS;
END STRUCTURE
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